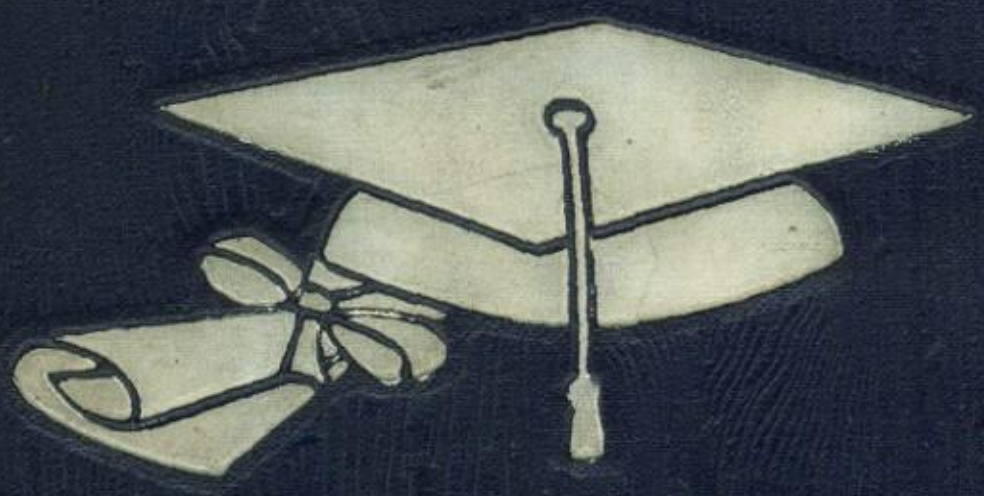

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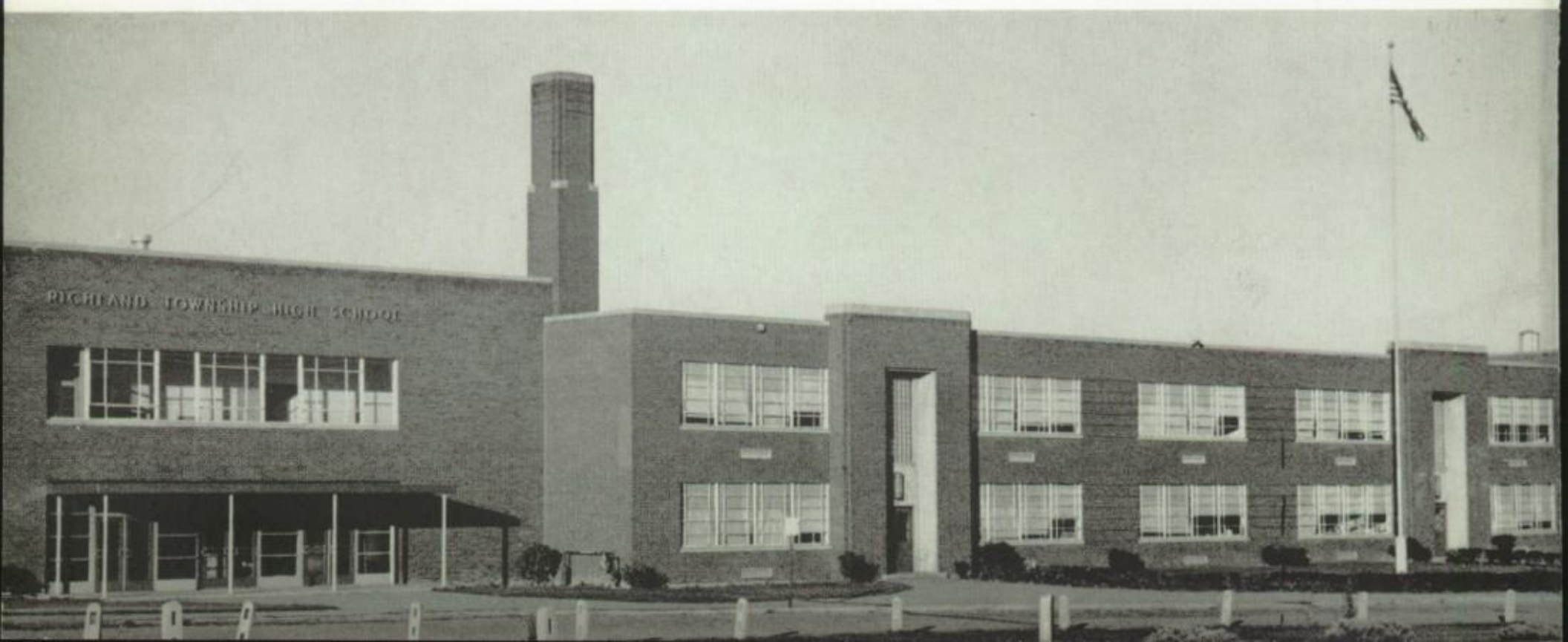
FOREWORD

This year, the Portal, published as a student effort, is without a theme. It has no purpose other than to entertain, to picture the school year activities, and to recall the memories of Richland as the years fade.

Our symbols are used to represent rather than picture. The cap and scroll represents scholarship; the ram's head is shown in the various sides of our school activities. In every life there must be a combination of seriousness and humor; of leadership and being led; of scholarship and athletics. Just as each graduating class has its motto, flower, and colors, the Portal must also have its own symbols.

The future is ahead. The past is forgotten amid the thoughts of the present. Yet we hope this book will give us an insight to the future, pictures of the present, and something to recall the past.

The Editors



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The Portal is Proudly Dedicated to:

Ivadene E. Dhority

. . . At Home

Relaxation between work provides self-confidence and clear thinking. We salute you, Ivadene Dhority, for these qualities and others which have inspired fine years of untiring service to Richland Township.

At School . . .

Each day bits of knowledge are embedded into students' minds which piece together gradually to form new ideas. A teacher will devote her school day to this and win the admiration and respect of those around her.

. . . After School

Giving unselfishly of her time and efforts, Mrs. Dhority diligently worked many hours bringing new spirit to the Pep Club and, in turn, the entire student body. To sacrifice one's precious hours for the betterment of others is indeed devotion and genuine desire for personal accomplishment.

Persons pictured in the photo on the opposite page are—

Miss Nettie J. Russel
Mr. Norman J. Smith

Presenting . . . .

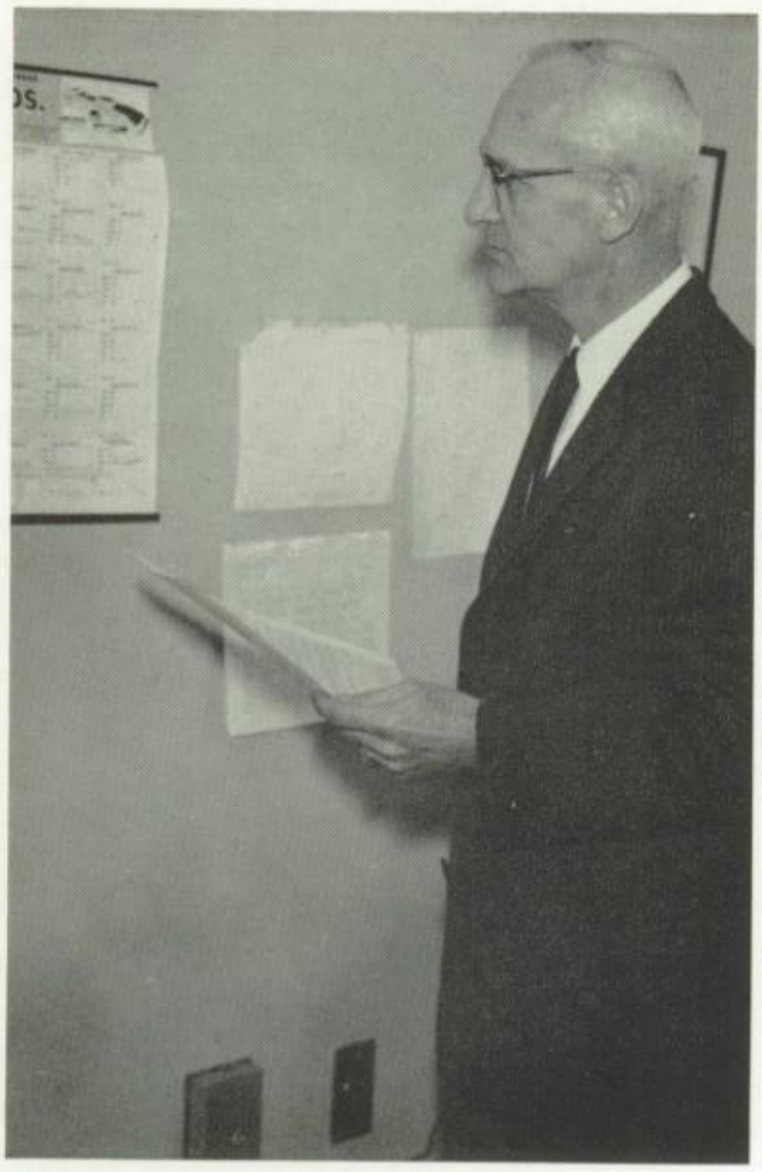
The Administrators And Faculty

To be a teacher is to be one of a privileged few. Many people never realize this. They see in teaching only a means of earning a living. We see in teaching a means of helping to shape the future.

Here are the faces of those who teach, of those administrators who guide, and of the men in the background, the school directors, whose policy forms the life of our school.

Here are those whose thumbprints, unknown to you, have helped shape you in your image.

Administration



Mr. Herlinger Kept Busy

Mr. Fred W. Herlinger, Superintendent of the Richland Township Schools, is now a full fledged member of our school district. He came to Richland last year from Townville, Pennsylvania to serve as RHS's supervising principal.

Here he is looking over the calendar for the 1961-1962 school term. Last year, because of his late arrival, he was not able to aid in the formation of the school's schedule. This year, Mr. Herlinger takes pride in the fact that he contributed much to this project.

Church Grove is the scene of Mr. Herlinger's quarters. This accounts for the reason why we at the high school and the junior high do not see him very often.

This man has taken over a very tedious task in coming to Richland. He has had to cope with overcrowded conditions and the building of two new schools. His best foot has been put forward, and he has done much for the school district and its students. We are very proud to have Mr. Herlinger as a vital director of our administration.

Fred W. Herlinger: Superintendent of Schools

Students and Meetings Are Problems

Encountering stern realities, new ideas for improvements, and coming up with answers to the problems that arise each day are just a few of the responsibilities of Mr. Herlinger.

Although we don't see much of him we are ever conscious of his presence. His decisions effect each one of us either directly or indirectly. Raising the school's academic standards was a major advancement prescribed by our superintendent of schools.

Dreams Do Come True

The RHS school board has provided our school district with new facilities for better educational training. They have made the building of the Rachel Hill elementary school and the Richland Junior High School possible.

No, the school board did not forget about the high school. During the summer they had the science and biology rooms of this building remodeled with more advanced equipment.

Transportation is another problem which was solved by these seven men. Students have to be bussed from different sections of the district to the high school, junior high school, Rachel Hill, Church Grove, and Geistown elementary schools. This can prove to be a confusing situation.

These factors point out that our school board members must be men who can realize and solve problems of the school district wisely, profitably, and constructively. They are, from left to right, Mr. McDowell, member; Mr. Gilbert, member; Mr. A. Yost, vice-president; Mr. W. McQuade, president; Mr. M. Wingard, secretary; Mr. Hoffman, member; and Mr. R. Robel, treasurer.

Efficiency Is His Business

With the completion of the new Junior High building the clerical tasks of the school system have been increased. Mr. Victor R. Zack, whose offices are located in the Church Grove building, has capably assumed these added responsibilities. In addition, another new elementary school now under construction on Rachel Hill will, upon completion, increase his duties even further. In a community that has grown at the rate that Richland Township has, it is a job requiring much systematic organization to keep the school records in order.

These Moments Are Rare

Principal of Richland Township High School is the very impressive title held by Mr. Norman J. Smith, whose headquarters are in the high school building.

In a more relaxed moment Mr. Smith watches students boarding their buses for home. He can usually be found looking out for the welfare of the student body any time during the school day. To the dismay of many students, he also can be seen when least expected. Mr. Smith often surveys the halls and the over-all situation of the day. His alertness keeps students on their toes and uncovers any difficulties that may rise.

Norman J. Smith: High School Principal

Having become head of the entire student body, Mr. Smith is burdened with numerous duties and responsibilities. He performs them with the experience and enthusiasm all efficient principals possess. School standards have been improved and more club functions have been permitted. The dramatics group, which has been regained at Richland, is an example of this. The honor system has been introduced to the students and a more informal atmosphere prevails.

Serving in this capacity for his second year, Mr. Smith has become better acquainted with the students and the faculty and the various problems and situations that arise.

Nick Campitelli Assumes Role as Junior High Principal

With a completed section of the new schooling project being put to use, Mr. Nick R. Campitelli was named principal of the school. His title of assistant principal at the high school was abandoned and a replacement was not made.

Miss Mary Burns (not pictured) served as his secretary. Miss Burns was a 1961 graduate of Richland Township.

Richland Separates Junior High Students

Without precedent, a separate building has been constructed for the younger teenagers of our school district. Located in University Park near the Rachael Hill Elementary School, the Junior High school covers approximately 80 acres.

The spacious structure was begun in the spring of 1961. Because of insufficient time for completion several difficulties arose. The students assigned to the building for the first semester began studies at a later date than those at the high school. When cold weather stormed in, a heat problem had to be overcome in a short amount of time. After this, however, classes were resumed at a normal speed.

According to plans, the building will be completed before the summer of 1962 is ended.

School's Secretaries

For an efficient school system, secretaries are indispensable. In the top photo is Mrs. Lois Rodgers who handles checks and the payroll for Mr. Zack.

Miss Beverly Krouse, bottom right, performs duties for our principal, Mr. Smith. Known as "Bev" to the Office Practice girls, she is very helpful to them, also.

In the lower left photo is Mrs. Mildred Baumgardner, secretary to Mr. Herlinger. Her office is in the Church Grove Building.

Meet Our Faculty

LYNN ALBERT
Arithmetic 8, 4 sections; General Science, 2 sections

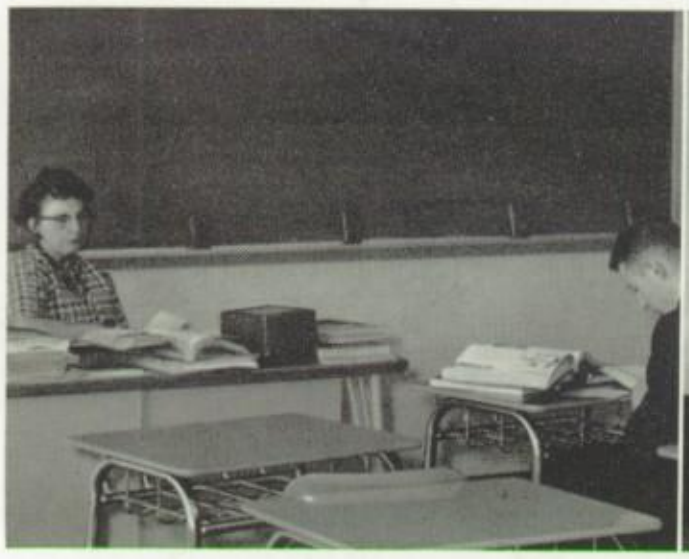
MISS S. CATHERINE BENFORD
District School Nurse

DAVID AIKEY
Elementary Music, 2 sections; Music 9, 2 sections; Junior High Instruction, 1 section

MRS. BERNICE BERKEBILE
Junior High Chorus, 2 sections; Music 8, 1 section; History 10, 1 section

MRS. BETTY BLOUGH
Reading 8, 3 sections; Reading 7, 3 sections

HARRY COULSON
English 7, 3 sections; Science 7, 1 section; Reading 7, 1 section; Adviser of Dramatics Club



MRS. NORA COVODE

Geography 7, 1 section; Geography 8, 3 sections

WALTER CRISTE

Algebra 11, 3 sections; Trigonometry 12, 2 sections, Solid Geometry, second semester

RICHARD CUPPETT

Band and Chorus; Senior High Instruction, 5 sections; Music Harmony, 1 section

MRS. IVADENE DHORITY

Biology 10, 1 section; Consumer Science, 3 sections; General Science, 1 section; Adviser of Cheerleaders; Adviser of Senior High Pep Club

EMILIO DeMARCO

English 7, 4 sections; History 7, 1 section; Junior High Football Coach; Junior High Basketball Coach; Head Track Coach

MRS. NAOMI DOLAN

French II, 2 sections; French I, 2 sections; English 12, 1 section

MISS JUDITH ECKEL

Health 9, 2 sections; Health 12, 2 sections; Gym 11, 2 sections; Gym 10-11, 1 section; Gym 8, 2 sections

MRS. TRESSA ERCOLE

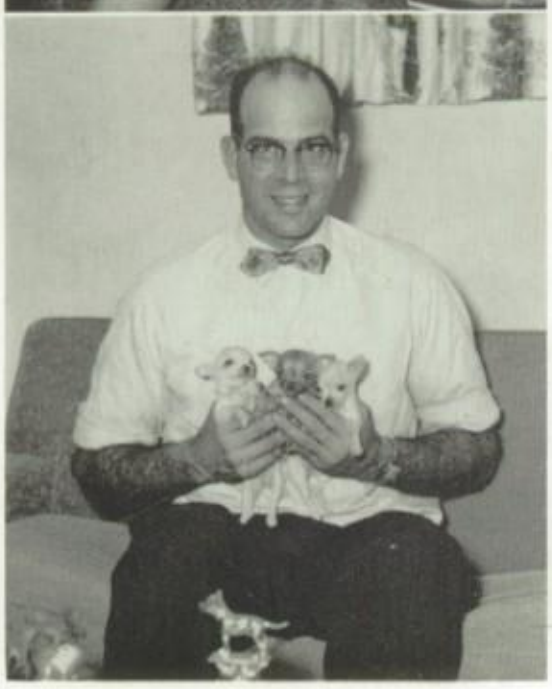
English 8, 2 sections; History 8, 1 section; English 9, 1 section

MISS SALLY GLESSNER

Health 8, 1 section; Gym 9, 1 section; Gym 10, 1 section; Gym 10-11, 1 section; Gym 12, 1 section; Adviser of Junior High Pep Club

MRS. HELEN FLECK

Commercial Typing, 1 section; Shorthand II, 1 section; Clerical Office Practice, 1 section; Stenographic Office Practice, 1 section; Academic Typing, 1 section



MISS ELIZABETH GREEN

American History and World Cultures, 5 sections; Adviser of National Honor Society; Adviser of Future Teachers of America; Adviser of United Nations Club

DONALD FYOCK

Science 8, 2 sections; Science 9, 4 sections

In Their Homes . . .

CARL HEPTNER
Arithmetic 8, 3 sections; Algebra I, 2 sections

JOHN GULICK
History 10, 5 sections; Assistant Junior High Football Coach

LOUIS HEINZE
English 8, 2 sections; English 9, 3 sections; History 9, 1 section

CLARENCE HARRISON
History 7, 5 sections

C. B. Harrison

LEORA HOFFMAN
English 11, 5 sections

GALEN HOFFMAN
Science 7, 4 sections; Arithmetic 7, 2 sections; Science 8, 1 section

With Their Hobbies

MICHAEL HOLLICK

Mechanical Drawing 9, 2 sections; Junior Business Training 9, 1 section; Elective Mechanical Drawing, 1 section; Mechanical Drawing 11-12, 2 sections

MICHAEL HOZIK

English 12, 3 sections; Journalism, 1 section; Adviser of the Echo

MRS. BETTY HOOPER

Home Economics 8, 1 section; Home Economics 9, 1 section; Home Economics 10, 1 section; Home Economics 12, 1 section

JOSEPH HUBER

Reading, 1 section (General Science, second semester); Chemistry 11, 4 sections

MRS. BEVERLY JOHNS

Home Economics 8, 1 section; Home Economics 9, 1 section; Home Economics 11, 1 section; Student Teaching Conference, 1 period

MISS LOIS KINDLEBERGER

Librarian; Adviser of the Student Council; Adviser to the Librarians

LEE KIPP

Shop 8, 1 section; Shop 9, 1 section; Industrial Arts 11-12, 2 sections; Guidance, 2 sections

JOHN KUZMIAK

World Geography, 2 sections; English 10, 3 sections

MRS. MARGARET LARIMER

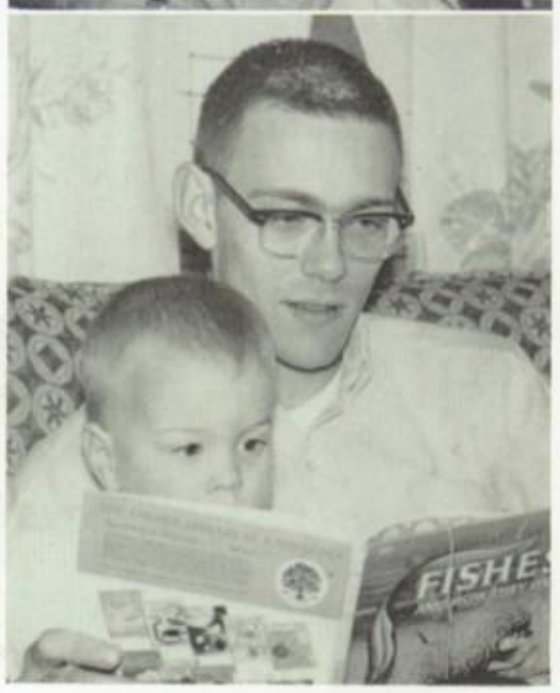
Latin I, 3 sections; Latin II, 2 sections

BEN MANOTTI

Art 8, 1 section; Art 9, 2 sections; Fine Arts, 2 sections

WAYNE LEHMAN

Physics, 3 sections; Secondary Math, 1 section; General Science, 1 section (2nd semester); Adviser of the Jets Club



WILLIAM MAQUILKEN

Biology 10, 5 sections; Adviser of the Portal; Adviser of Sophomore Class

DONALD McCRAE

Health 8, 1 section; Gym 9, 1 section; Gym 10, 1 section; Gym 10-11, 1 section; Gym 12, 1 section; Adviser of the Varsity "R"; Head Football Coach

MRS. MARY MORGAN

English 8, 3 sections; English 9, 3 sections

CHARLES PUCKEY

Gym 8, 1 section; Health 9, 1 section; Gym 10-11, 1 section; Gym 11, 1 section; Health 12, 1 section; Head Basketball Coach; Assistant Football Coach

RICHARD PARDOE

Business English 10, 1 section; Business Arithmetic 11, 2 sections; Bookkeeping 12, 2 sections

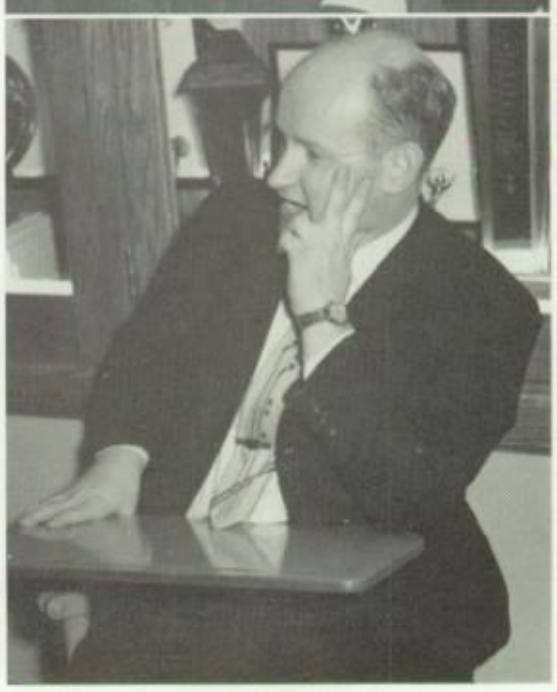
WILLIAM REAM

History 8, 3 sections; History 9, 3 sections

Edward Pruchnic

EDWARD PRUCHNIC

Geography 7, 2 sections; Junior Business Training 9, 1 section; Exploratory Business, 2 sections



. . . And With Their Families

DONALD SCOTILLA
Arithmetic 7, 5 sections; History 7, 1 section

MISS NETTIE J. RUSSELL
Guidance, 7 periods; Co-adviser of Y-Teens

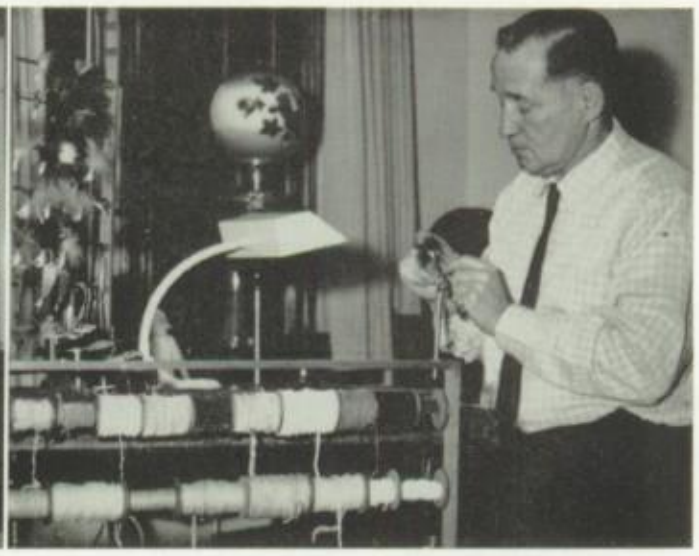
THOMAS SIGMUND
Algebra I, 2 sections; Plane Geometry 10, 2 sections; Adviser of Ramsmen; Adviser Junior and Senior High Math Clubs

DAVID SAMUEL
Problems of Democracy, 5 sections; Adviser of Senior Class

WILLIAM SMITH
Driver Training, 7 sections; Adviser of the Audio-Visual Aids

MRS. THERESA STOY
English 10, 3 sections; English 12, 1 section

MISS GENEVIEVE THOMAS
Shorthand 1, 2 sections; Business English, 1 section; Academic Typing, 1 section; Junior Class Adviser



PAUL WISSLER
History 8, 2 sections; History 9, 3 sections; General Math 9, 1 section

STUDENT TEACHING: Important Phase of College Curriculum

This year, Richland has received many student teachers from Indiana and California State Colleges. The college selects the prospective school and teacher that these students are to work under. When the student arrives, he or she observes the teacher and his techniques. He is then assigned to take over one class and is given more according to his increased ability. His class preparation requires much added time in the library.

These students meet with duties and problems that they will later face every day. High school classrooms, therefore, are training grounds for the student teacher.

1st Semester Students	2nd Semester Students
CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE	
Shop Dept. under Mr. Kipp:	
Wesley Berkebile	Raymond Kaschalk
Michael Palya	
Daniel Wess	
INDIANA STATE COLLEGE	
Geography under Mrs. Covode:	
Theodore Farkas	Donald Kaufman
Home Economics under Mrs. Hooper & Mrs. Johns:	
Miss Garrigan	Barbara Conrad
Bonnie Seiger	Ronald Goodwin
Fay Simpson	
Charlotte Werner	
Science under Mr. MaQuilken:	
	John Holsberger
Social Studies under Miss Green:	
Jacqueline Rodgers	Philip Sikurinec

Top to bottom: Farkas, Garrigan, Palya, Rodgers, Simpson.

Cooks—left to right: Beatrice Feightner, Mrs. Earl Weaver, Mrs. Anna D. Weaver, Frances Zarifoss.

Soup's On

Come and get it! Hot, tasty meals are served three lunch periods daily to approximately 300 students. Imagine how it would be if all the cooks were not there to prepare the meals. We would surely be in a "stew"' then.

At the end of fourth period it is often taken for granted that our lunches will be ready and waiting. Quite often all this work is passed by unappreciated. So, let's give credit where credit is due.

Our hats are off to you, ladies of nutrition.

Graham Wissinger

Carl Jeschonek

Zane Boyd

Always On The Job

The immaculate care of our school is in the hands of our custodians, Mr. Wissinger and Mr. Jeschonek. Keeping it clean and in good repair is a 24 hour-a-day job. This means another shift in the evening after school is dismissed. Although we don't see much of them, we notice their work. They clean floors, cut grass, shovel walks, and keep everything "ship shape." The responsibilities of these men are too numerous to mention, but they cope with them very well.

In the third photo is Mr. Boyd, traffic director of the school. He manages to keep heavy traffic running smoothly; he also acts as attendance officer during school hours.

Safety First

These are the trusty men whose responsibility is to transport us to and from school each day, "safe and sound." They have to cope with the strict schedule of transporting high school and elementary students every morning on time. The Pony Express could not do a better job than that done by our bus drivers. Weather is not a halting obstacle for they go through rain, snow, sleet, and shine. Some of our trusty bus drivers are shown at the right.

Bus drivers—left to right: Wingard, Schneider, E. Alwine, Faust, Christ, Miller, N. Alwine, Bloom, Shetler, and E. Bloom.

Persons pictured in the photo on the opposite page are—

John Sholtis
Karen Green
Carol Swick
Larry Horne

Presenting . . . .

The Seniors

To be a senior is a conflicting experience. Not children, but not yet considered adults, we work to cram our heads full of facts and we dream of the day when we will be independent. Somehow, our minds can be filled with data and dreams at the same time. We rush to finish an assignment before a date, and we spend some of our television time worrying about tomorrow's lessons.

Here are the seniors. We are on the threshold of graduation, with our persons in the activities of the present and our hopes in the future.

Graduates

Surveying The Graduates Of 1962

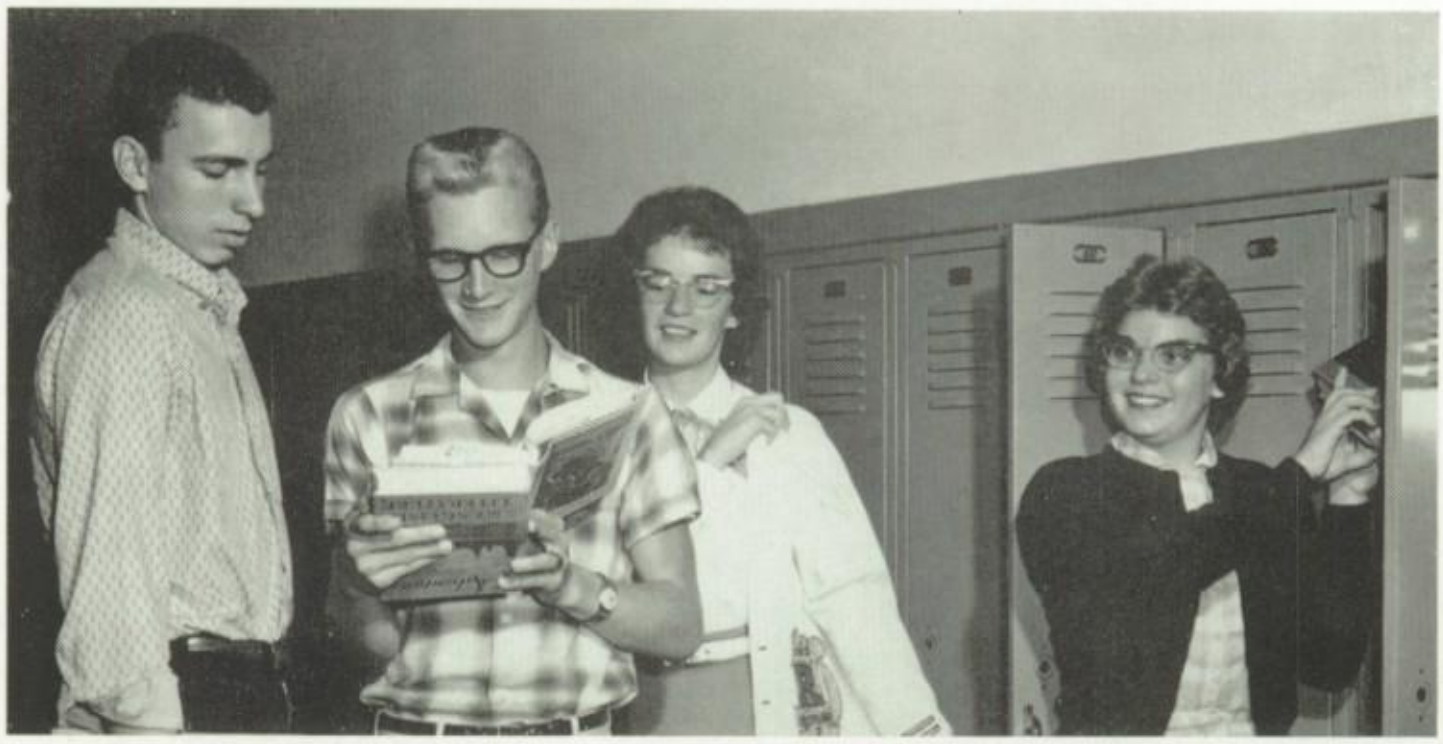
Class Officers

James Reed
President

Charles Gontkovic
Vice-President

Nancy Barnes
Treasurer

Linda Shaffer
Secretary



With hearts and minds toward future experiences and successes, these four outstanding Seniors have lead their class in carrying out a rich and basic segment of their life, the long-awaited year of departure from high school. Their responsibilities were completed well; their shortcomings and solutions resulted in a deeper realization of the necessity of a broadened attitude for adulthood.

SENIOR CLASS CALENDAR
1961-62

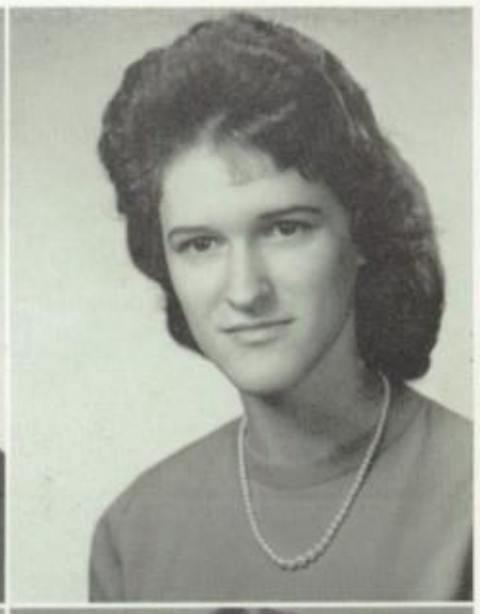
Football season opens	Sept.	9
School begins	Sept.	12
"Lucky 7" dance	Sept.	20
Senior portraits taken	Sept.	27
"Pumpkin Prom"	Oct.	25
"Gridiron Gallop"	Nov.	10
Annual Cheerleading Contest	Nov.	17
Speaker— Congressman John P. Saylor	Nov.	22
Archery Assembly	Nov.	28
Senior portraits delivered	Dec.	1
Basketball season begins	Dec.	1
"V-R Rock"	Dec.	21
Christmas program—"Scrooge"	Dec.	22
Christmas vacation	Dec. to Jan.	23 2
Windber Annual Basketball Tournament	Dec.	27-28
Coronation Ball	Jan.	10
Assembly—O. G. Fitzgerald	Feb.	1
"Cupid's Capers"	Feb.	2
"Moonlite Garden"	Feb.	10
National Honor Society Induction	Feb.	16
"Prelude to Victory"	March	2
Johnstown Catholic West Central Playoff	March	3
Laura Lamar Playoff at War Memorial	March	7
Purchase Line Playoff at Windber	March	10
Tussey Mt. Playoff at Windber	March	13
Edgewood Playoff at Monessen	March	16
"Shamrock Shuffle"	March	17
Senior trip to Washington, D. C.	March	19-21
Senior Class Play— "Skinned Alive"	April	5
Easter Vacation	April	20-22
Baccalaureate	June	3
Commencement	June	5

During the four preceding years of school activity, the class of '62 has grasped, step by step, an education as its foundation for the future. We have gradually acquired various skills in certain extra-curricular events. Thus, our motto, "Forward ever, backward never," is being successfully carried out. The graduates are looking to the coming years with ambition, as well as anticipation and serious concern.

Under the guidance of David W. Samuel, class adviser, the seniors completed several money-making projects. The first was a fund-raising dance, the "Pumpkin Prom," (for the 1962 Portal) which turned out to be a "howling success." Many class members also sold a considerable number of Christmas cards and candles to pay a portion of the cost of the annual senior trip.

The three-day trip to Washington, D. C. was the year's highlight. A seemingly unendless schedule was followed throughout the excursion, but everyone will long remember this schedule and the enjoyment that accompanied it.

On graduation day, June 5, 1962, this year's senior class bids farewell to Richland with fond memories, with high hopes, and with still higher dreams.



GARY ALLEN - Industrial Arts

Sociable and easy-going ... TOPS on the football field ... says hi to everyone. ACTIVITIES - Track 1; Leathercraft Club 1; All-Purpose Club 2; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4

JUNE ALLEN - Commercial

A small senior ... has a winning smile ... giggles in class. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Echo staff 4

CAROL ALLISON - Academic

A non-conformist ... scores high with her friends as well as in sports ... direct. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Y-Teens 2, 4; Y-Teen Representative 2; Girls' Basketball team 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Girls' Volleyball team 4

KEITH ALLISON - Industrial Arts

Commendable for his art ability ... robust ... blushes easily. ACTIVITIES - Band 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Boys' Quartet 2, 3

JOHN AMBROSE - Academic

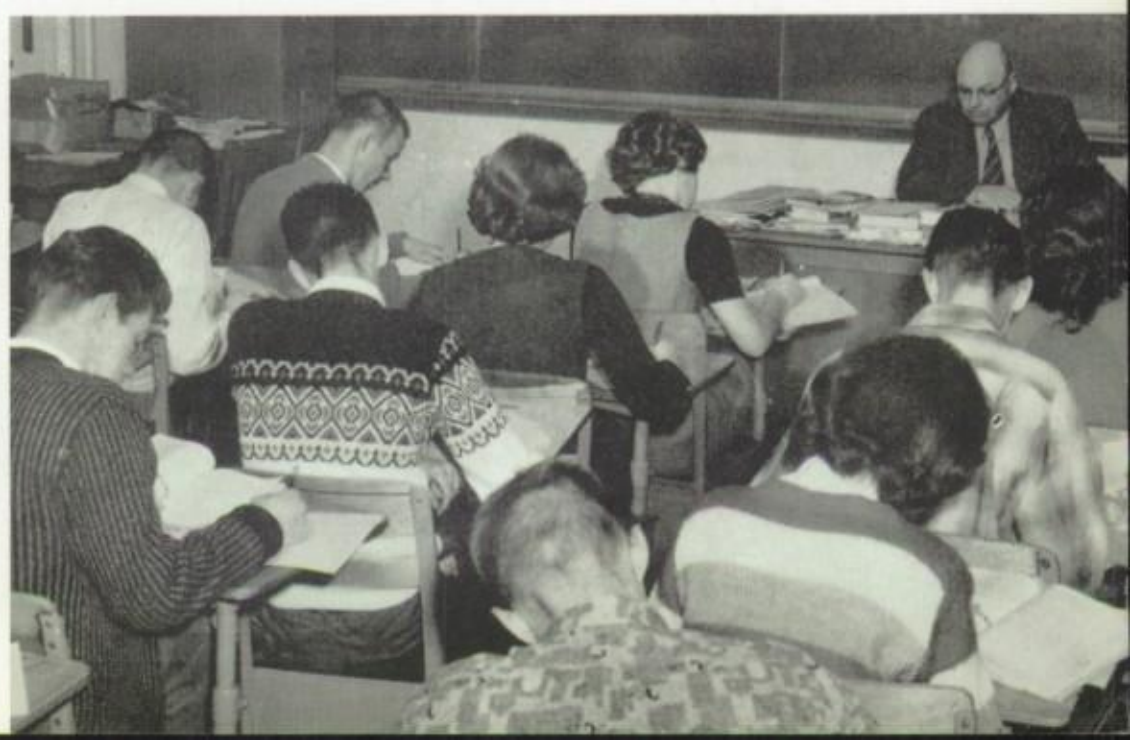
Intelligence unsurpassed ... conservative ... clever ... at the summit of the Senior Class. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Camera Club 1; National Honor Society 3, 4; treasurer 4; Jets 4; Portal 4; Co-editor 4; Echo 4

DONNA BABAL - Commercial

Richland's bandstand representative ... a twister ... amiable moods ... always talking. ACTIVITIES - Pep Club 1, 3, 4; Bowling Club 3; Echo staff 4; Dramatics Club 4

TYPICAL DAY

David W. Samuel appears here as the members of the Senior Class see him—at his desk teaching P.O.D. Along with his teaching he also undertakes the role of advisor to the Senior Class. Under his guidance all business and projects associated with the Senior year, such as the sale of candles and Christmas cards, are done and completed on schedule. He posseses the drive and initiative which contributes to the success of our final year at R. H. S.



ANNA MAE BARNDT - Commercial

Quiet except with her friends ... always has a question for Miss Eckel. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1; Bowling Club 3; Dramatics Club 4

NANCY BARNES - Commercial

Refined ... our girl of the month ... has a charming manner and a magnetic personality. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2; Band 3, 4; Band Librarian 3, Vice-President 4; Girls' Ensemble 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Flag Twirler 4; Portal staff 4; Class Treasurer 4; Student Council 4; Chaplain 4; Class Court 4

KATHALEEN BEAMER - Academic

"Kathy" ... neat and sweet ... can master any new dance step. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Librarian 1

JOHN BEENER - Academic

Usually called "Jack" ... sharp dresser ... a likeable individual ... has future plans. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Track 1, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4

DWIGHT BELL - Industrial Arts

"Skip" ... not as quiet as he seems ... main interest is cars. ACTIVITIES - All Purpose Club 2

LINDA BELL - Academic

Positive thinker ... automatically attracts friends ... creates unique hair-dos. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Biology Club 2; F.T.A. 3; Pep Club 3, 4; Portal staff 3, 4; Student Council 4

BARRY BENDER - Academic

Dynamic ... a million laughs ... our favorite toastmaster ... good-natured. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1; Camera Club 2; Boys' Quartet 2, 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Ramsmen 4; President 4; Dramatics Club 4

WAYNE A. BERKEY - Fine Arts

The strong silent type ... love that red hair ... patient and sincere. ACTIVITIES - Future Farmers of America 1, 2; Chaplain 2; Varsity "R" 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4

DENNIS BETZ - Academic

Always grinning . . . makes a hit with the girls and loves it . . . mischievous. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Bowling Club 1; Varsity Track manager 1, 2; Biology Club 2, President 2; Audio-Visual Aids 3; Student trainer 3, 4; Varsity "R" 3, 4; Portal staff 4; Ramsmen 4; Student United Nations 4; Varsity Baseball manager 3; Dramatics Club 4

GERALDINE BLOCK - Commercial

"Gerri" . . . a true individualist . . . hangs out in the Echo room . . . helpful. ACTIVITIES - Thespian Society 1, 2; National Honor Society 3, 4; Echo staff 3, 4; Editor 4; Dramatics Club 4

MARILYN JEAN BLOUGH - Academic

A high-stepping majorette . . . enchanting eyes . . . recipient of wolf whistles. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Biology Club 2; Pep Club 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; Portal staff 4; Dramatics Club 4; Football Court 4

PHILIP BOHACHICK - Fine Arts

Tall, dark, and handsome . . . skilled in leather tooling . . . consistent. ACTIVITIES - Track 1; Football 1, 2

LINDA JEAN BOYER - Commercial

Neat and friendly . . . always willing to lend a hand . . . contagious laugh. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1, President 1; Color Guard 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Pep Club 4

ERMA ELIZABETH BOYSZA - General

Soft-spoken . . . looking forward to graduation and marriage . . . dependable. ACTIVITIES - Pep Club 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3; Librarian 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4

LINDA BURKETT - Academic

Sparkling blue eyes . . . nice to know . . . likes living color in lilac. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Dramatics Club 2; Pep Club 3; F.T.A. 4

ROSE MARIE BURNS - Commercial

"Daisy" . . . blooms with gaiety and good times . . . makes friends spontaneously. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2, Chaplain 2; Pep Club 3; Portal staff 4; Chorus 4; Dramatics Club 4

JAMES BURY - Fine Arts

Excels in artistic ability . . . brain power in reserve . . . "Jim" says what's on his mind. ACTIVITIES - Leathercraft Club 1, 2; Student United Nations 2, 3, 4, President 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Portal staff 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4; Jets Club 4, Vice President 4; Student Council 4; Johnstown Scholastic Quiz representative 4

CHARLES CANN - Industrial Arts

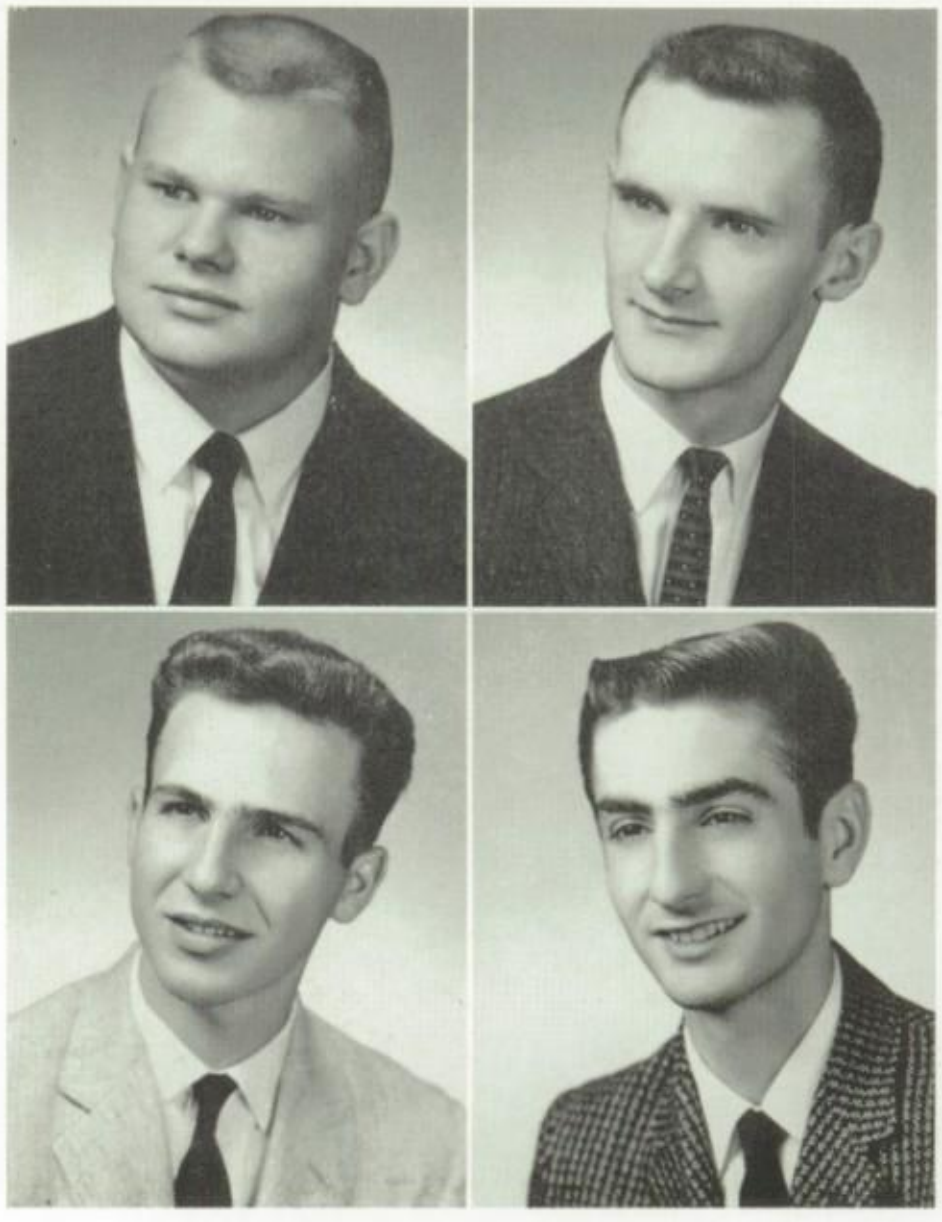
A friendly individual . . . "Charlie" is highway tested . . . interested in photography. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Hi-Y Club 1; All Purpose Club 2

JOE CANNIN - Academic

Our leader of the band . . . nonchalant . . . takes life easy. ACTIVITIES - Sportsman Club 1, 2; Track 2; Hi-Y Club 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice President 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Head Quartermaster 3, Student Director 4, Drum Major 4; Ramsmen 4; F.T.A. 4; Dramatics Club 4

SAMUEL CANNONE - Academic

"Sam" bounds with energy . . . likes to go places . . . never bored. ACTIVITIES - Sortsman Club 1, 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Quartermaster 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Ramsmen 4



"... OF COURSE IT ISN'T FOR MYSELF!"

PAT CASSIDY - Commercial

Geared for silence . . . fair complexion . . . tickled over feathers. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1

SANDRA LEE CHAPLAIN - Commercial

"Sandy" is easy to talk to . . . Mr. Pardoe's little helper . . . has pleasant dreams of the future. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2; Chorus 4; Dramatics Club 4

FIONA DAUGHERTY - Commercial

Pittsburgh bound . . . really a whiz at typing . . . one of our proud color guards. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Girls' Ensemble 3; Color Guard 3, 4; Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Echo staff 4

REBECCA DAVIES - Academic

"Becky" has hair that shines . . . enjoys life . . . has phone fever. ACTIVITIES - Dramatics Club 1, 4, Secretary 1; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4

JOANNE DIAMOND - Academic

Seen but not always heard . . . A+ personality and grades to match. ACTIVITIES - Chorus 1, 4; Dramatics Club 1, 4; Biology Club 3; National Honor Society 3, 4, President 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 4

MARY ANNE DOLAN - Academic

Dark, expressive eyes . . . an excellent seamstress . . . enjoys a good joke. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Home Economics Club 2; Dramatics Club 4; Echo staff 4; Y-Teens 4

THOMAS DOUBT - Academic

Never passes up a wise crack . . . likes to twist . . . watch that sly grin. ACTIVITIES - Wrestling 1; Basketball manager 2; Science Club 2; Baseball manager 2, 3; Dramatics Club 4, Secretary 4; Portal Staff 4; Ramsmen 4; Student United Nations 4; Varsity "R" 4

PATRICK DOYLE - Academic

"Pat" gives the best advice . . . will never forget the Washington trip . . . a mighty "mouse." ACTIVITIES - Hi-Y Club 1; Biology Club 2; Track 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4; Ramsmen 4

JAMES DUNBAR - Academic

"Jim" is the lanky type . . . a fine basketball player . . . his red hair induces numerous nicknames. ACTIVITIES - Student Council 1; Bowling Club 1; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 4

NANCY EASH - Commercial

Tall and slender . . . can liven up any party . . . had a lovebird named for her. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Home Economics Club 2; Dramatics Club 4; Class Court 4

JOE ERB - Fine Arts

Can dance up a storm . . . a hep cat . . . main interest: girls. ACTIVITIES - Basketball 1, 2; Stage Hand 1, 2, 3, 4

LEONARD ERZEN - Academic

A good-looker . . . "Lenny" likes cars . . . man, dig that wavy hair. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Sportsman Club 2

NICHOLAS FAVATELLA - Fine Arts

"Nick" . . . keeps Mr. Samuel in an uproar . . . known for fun and gags.

JOANNE FORAN - General

A devoted librarian . . . argues in P.O.D. discussions . . . has a sense of humor. ACTIVITIES - Pep Club 1; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Girls' Basketball team 4; Dramatics Club 4

THOMAS FRIEDMAN - Academic

"Tom," our Football King . . . an asset to the squad . . . silent surface. ACTIVITIES - Hi-Y Club 1; Biology Club 2; Football Court 2; Varsity "R" 3, 4, President 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; King of Football 4; Class Court 4

JIM GAY - Fine Arts

Big and strong . . . has the ability to tackle anything . . . hangs out in the Art room. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; All Purpose Club 2

LILLIAN GENNETT - Commercial

Has the gift of gab ... a record hop fan ... is true-blue to her friends. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 4

PATSY GINDLESPERGER - Commercial

A quiet sense of humor ... always willing to help ... red highlights her hair. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4

CHARLES GONTKOVIC - Academic

"Charlie" is a real card ... collegiate and conscientious ... possesses a contagious laugh. ACTIVITIES - Hi-Y 1; Biology Club 2; Student United Nations 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Class Vice-President 2, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4, Treasurer 4; Echo 4; Ramsmen 4, Secretary 4; Class Court 4

KAREN GREEN - Academic

Chic, charming, and colorful ... sees good in everyone and everything ... a canteen teen. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Portal staff 3, 4

THOMAS J. GREENLEE - Academic

The athletic type ... "Tom" is not short on brains ... nicknamed "the wonderer." ACTIVITIES - Swimming Club 1; Student Council 2; Science Club 1; Ramsmen 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 3, 4; Football Court 4

D. L. GROW - Academic

Well-equipped with laughter ... diligent, good-natured ... destination undisclosed. ACTIVITIES - Student United Nations 3, 4; Echo 4; F.T.A. 4; Portal staff 3, 4, Co-editor 4

RONALD GRUSH - Academic

"Ron" portrays a reserved manner ... scientific mind ... notice the slight curl in his hair. ACTIVITIES - Jets 3, 4, President 4; Track 3; Student United Nations 3

BONNIE L. HARDY - Commercial

Soft-spoken and graceful ... brightens the library ... the freckles come with the hair color. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2; Pep Club 3; Librarian 3, 4

JUDY HARVEY - Academic

A smart blonde . . . doctors—beware! . . . her future should be bright and gay. ACTIVITIES - Student Council 1; Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Co-captain 1, Captain 4; Chorus 2, 3, 4, Librarian 4; Class Court 4

HARRY HERLINGER - Academic

Unique sense of humor . . . military features . . . has plans for college life. ACTIVITIES - Class President (Townville) 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Varsity "R" 4

DAVID CHARLES HILEMAN - General

Lends quiet support to any scene . . . comes with a life-time guarantee . . . reserved. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1

LOIS JEAN HOFFMAN - Commercial

"Hoffie" . . . definition of school is: Funsville . . . can't understand Mr. Samuel's puns. ACTIVITIES - Dramatics Club 1; Y-Teens 2, 4

JIM HOOVER - Industrial Arts

The strong silent type . . . can take a joke . . . a true sportsman. ACTIVITIES - Football 1, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Football Court 4; Varsity "R" 4

LARRY HORNE - Academic

Refuses to take anything seriously . . . admires majorettes . . . an indispensable football manager. ACTIVITIES - Biology Club 2; Football manager 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4, President 4; Jets 4, Secretary-Treasurer 4; Echo staff 4; Portal staff 4; Varsity "R" 4; Ramsmen 4

BETTY L. HOSTETLER - Academic

Talented and truthful . . . expressive personality . . . will be an asset to any campus. ACTIVITIES - Dramatics Club 1, 2, 3; Girls' Ensemble 3; Portal staff 3, 4; F.T.A. 3, 4, Librarian 3; Student United Nations 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Secretary 3; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 3, Secretary 4; Pep Club 4; Student Council 4, Assistant Chaplain 4

SALLY HOSTETLER - Commercial

A first-rate musician . . . sweeps away gloom . . . a certain someone in her dreams. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Girls' Ensemble 3; Band 2, 3, 4; Chorus 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Dramatics Club 4; Echo staff 4

GEORGIA HUTZLER - Academic

A neat dresser . . . determined . . . likes to be called "Peaches" by her classmates. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; F.T.A. 2, 3, 4; Chorus 4; Echo staff 4; Portal staff 4

NANCY HYNICKA - Commercial

"Nance" has model height . . . wears clothes to match . . . favorite expression - "kid". ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Echo staff 4

CONNIE JAMES - Commercial

Loves to dance . . . her laughter livens up any crowd . . . neat and attractive. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Bowling Club 3

LOIS JEAN JESCHONEK - Commercial

One of our "feminine" football players . . . loyal to the Pep Club . . . notice those sparkling baby blue eyes. ACTIVITIES - Librarian 1, 2, 3, Secretary 3; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, Vice-President 3

"I'D LIKE YOU TO MEET . . ."

Our school has the pleasure of receiving distinguished visitors. One day this fall we had a special guest who paid us a cordial visit with several others of his kind. Posing with him (her?) are three amused students, Sandy Sell, Linda Pahel, and Linda Bell.

JOYE L. KELLEY - Academic

A "joy" to be with . . . blends with any surroundings . . . found at the nearest record hop. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Girls' Ensemble 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Treasurer 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4

THOMAS KLEBAN - Academic

Has something witty to say . . . plenty of friends . . . straightforward and sincere. ACTIVITIES - Leathercraft 1, 2; Echo staff 4; Dramatics Club 4; Ramsmen 4, Treasurer 4

DON KOSHUTE - Academic

RHS's "blue chip" player . . . in style wherever found . . . the Cassanova type. ACTIVITIES - Class Secretary 1; Hi-Y Club 1; Biology Club 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 3, 4, President 4; Varsity "R" 3, 4

JEANNE MARIE KOSTRO - Academic

Conservative . . . "Jeannie" does things well . . . one of our gifted students. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1, Vice President 1; Biology Club 2, Treasurer 2; Candy Captain 3; F.T.A. 3, 4, Secretary 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Portal staff 4; Student Council 4

LET GEORGE DO IT—I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT IT IS

SUSAN KUHN - Academic

Bubbling with enSUSIEasm . . . loves a dare . . . perks up any school dance. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Class Treasurer 2; Class Vice-President 3; Chorus 2, 4; Portal staff 3, 4; F.T.A. 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4, Vice-President 4

MICHAEL J. KULBACK - Industrial Arts

"Mike" calls anything good . . . rough and tough . . . interest—cars, cars, cars. ACTIVITIES - Football 1

KENNETH KUNKLE - Academic

"Ken" . . . a prankster . . . likes leisure, especially in school . . . forms his own opinions. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1, 2; Ramsmen 4; Portal staff 4

BETTY L. LANE - Academic

A true country girl . . . will make a swell wife . . . active in 4-H affairs. ACTIVITIES - Girls' Archery Club 1; Home Economics Club 2; Band 2, 3, 4; F.T.A. 3, 4; Echo staff 4; Y-Teens 4

PHILIP LANGERHOLC - Academic

Brain power in reserve . . . a tall, tall senior . . . "Phil" listens rather than speaks. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Basketball 1; Bowling Club 1, 2

ELWOOD LAPE - Fine Arts

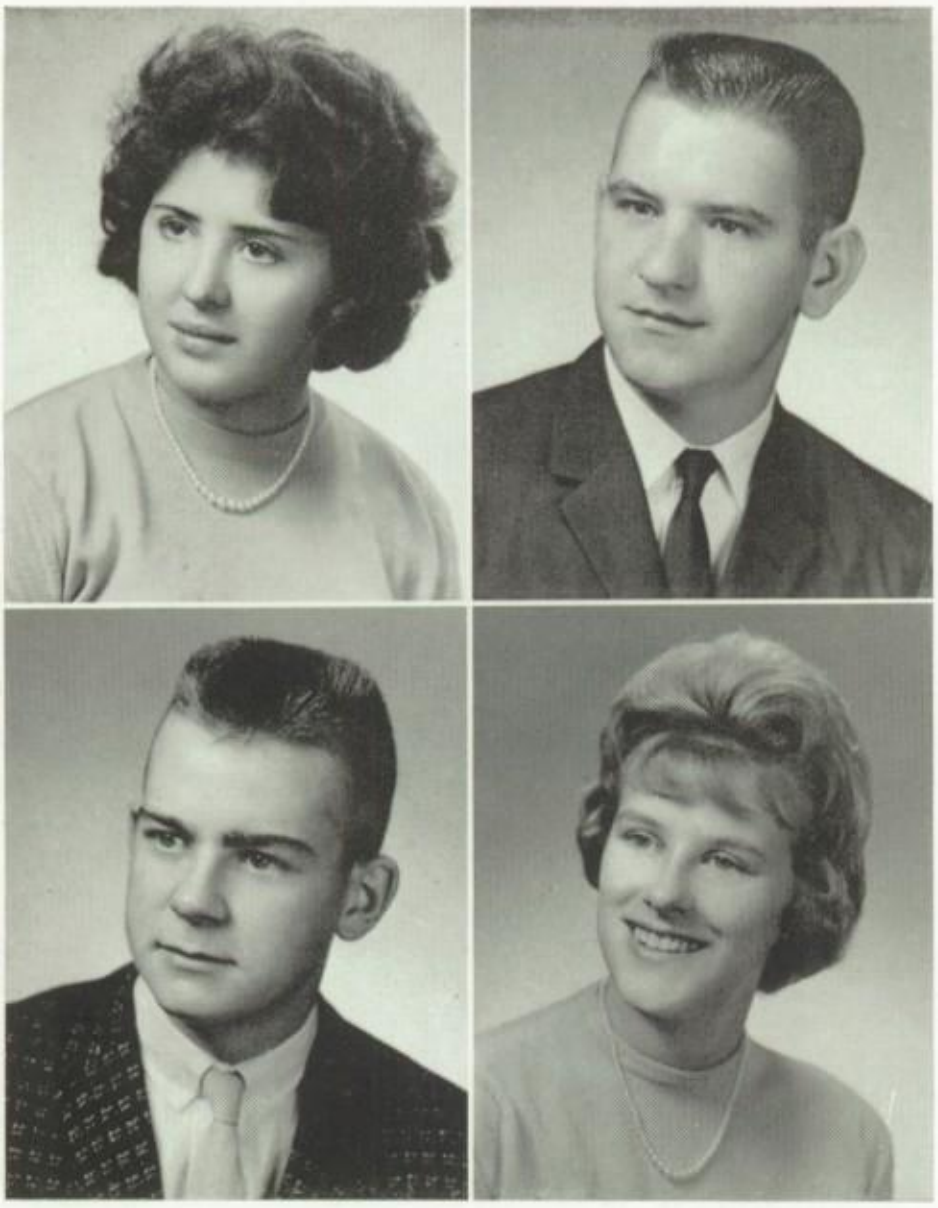
Built especially for football . . . "Bill" is not an introvert . . . can master anything he sets his mind to. ACTIVITIES - Football 1, 2, 4; Track 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4; Leathercraft 2

JOHN LAVELY - Fine Arts

A working man . . . considerate and casual . . . partial to a certain someone. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1; F.F.A. Club 2

PAULINE LESOSKY - Academic

Sad moments are few when "Pollyann" is around . . . an able conversationalist . . . has a laugh that's contagious. ACTIVITIES - Librarian 1, 2, 3, Secretary 1, Vice-president 2, President 3; Student Council 4, Parliamentarian 4; Portal staff 4; Pep Club 1, 2, 3, 4, President 4; Dramatics Club 4; Flag Twirler 4; Chorus 4; F.T.A. 3, 4; Biology Club 2



MARJORIE ELAINE LINDSEY - Commercial

"Marge" has a smile for all . . . thinks for herself . . . merry but can be serious too. ACTIVITIES - Girls' Intramural Sports 1, 2; Pep Club 3, 4; Dramatics Club 2, 4; Y-Teens 4; Echo staff 4

GEORGE MARCINKO - General

Carefree and easy . . . firmly believes in supporting his team . . . likes fun. ACTIVITIES - Baseball manager 1; Varsity "R" 2, 3, 4; Ramsmen 4

BERNARD McGOUGH - General

"Bernie" is an expert mimeograph operator . . . quiet but not shy . . . not hard to please. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1; Biology Club 2; Echo staff 3, 4; Ramsmen 4

LYNDA McMILLAN - Academic

Makes a neat appearance . . . poised, pretty, and persuasive . . . likes water sports. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Treasurer 4; F.T.A. 3, 4, Parliamentarian 3; Student Council 4

FRANK MEYER - Academic

Debonair . . . never outspoken . . . makes friends easily. ACTIVITIES - Ramsmen 4

NICK MICHRINA - Academic

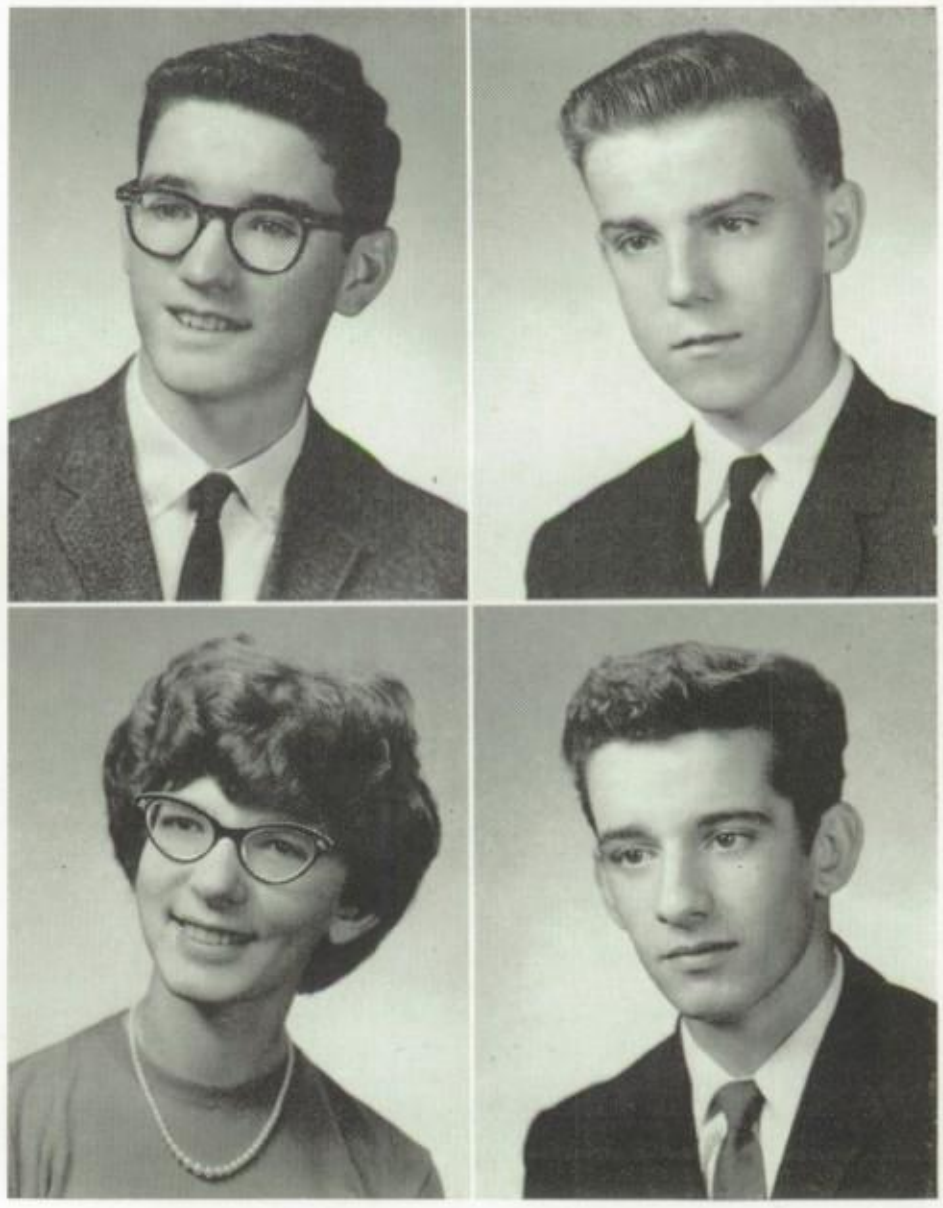
A smaller one . . . where's that crazy pink Ford . . . has high hopes for the days to come. ACTIVITIES - Biology Club 2; Bowling Club 3; Jets 3, 4; Varsity "R" 3, 4; Baseball manager 3, 4; Football manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Ramsmen 4; National Honor Society 4

JANET MIHALKO - Academic

One of our efficient librarians . . . a greeting for everyone . . . likes conversing with friends. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Y-Teens 2; Pep Club 3; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Chorus 4

BEN MILAZZO - Academic

Enjoys a good gag . . . not short on brains . . . a denizen of the poolroom. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1, 2; Jets 3; Track 3; Class Court 4



DANNY MOSS - Fine Arts

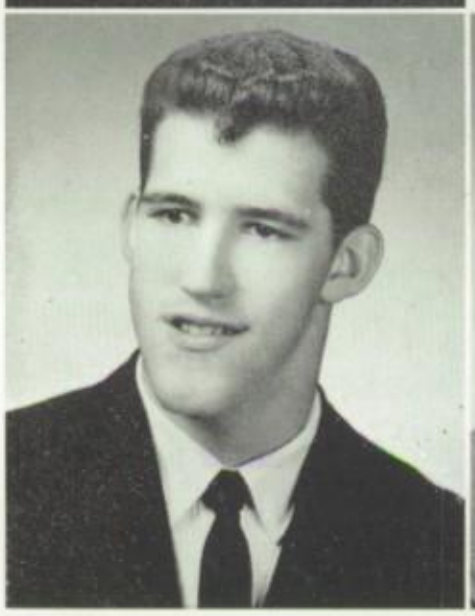
Likes cars . . . wears crazy emblems on his shirt . . . enjoys study hall. ACTIVITIES - Future Farmers of America 1, 2

AL MUCCIOLI - Industrial Arts

"Al" is the strong silent type . . . a Chevy convertible is his transportation . . . grins on occasion.

BOYD NEFF - Industrial Arts

Tall and handsome . . . a great athlete—our star center . . . personality plus. ACTIVITIES - Basketball 1; Varsity "R" 3, 4, Vice-president 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Tribune Democrat All Star 4; Football Court 4



PAMELA NEILSON - Academic

Athletic . . . gay disposition . . . laughs her troubles away. ACTIVITIES - Chorus 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3; Dramatics Club 4; Y-Teens 4

TERRY OWENS - Industrial Arts

Can be seen hitch hiking along Route 56 . . . one of the gang. ACTIVITIES - All Purpose Club 2, 3

LINDA PAHEL - Academic

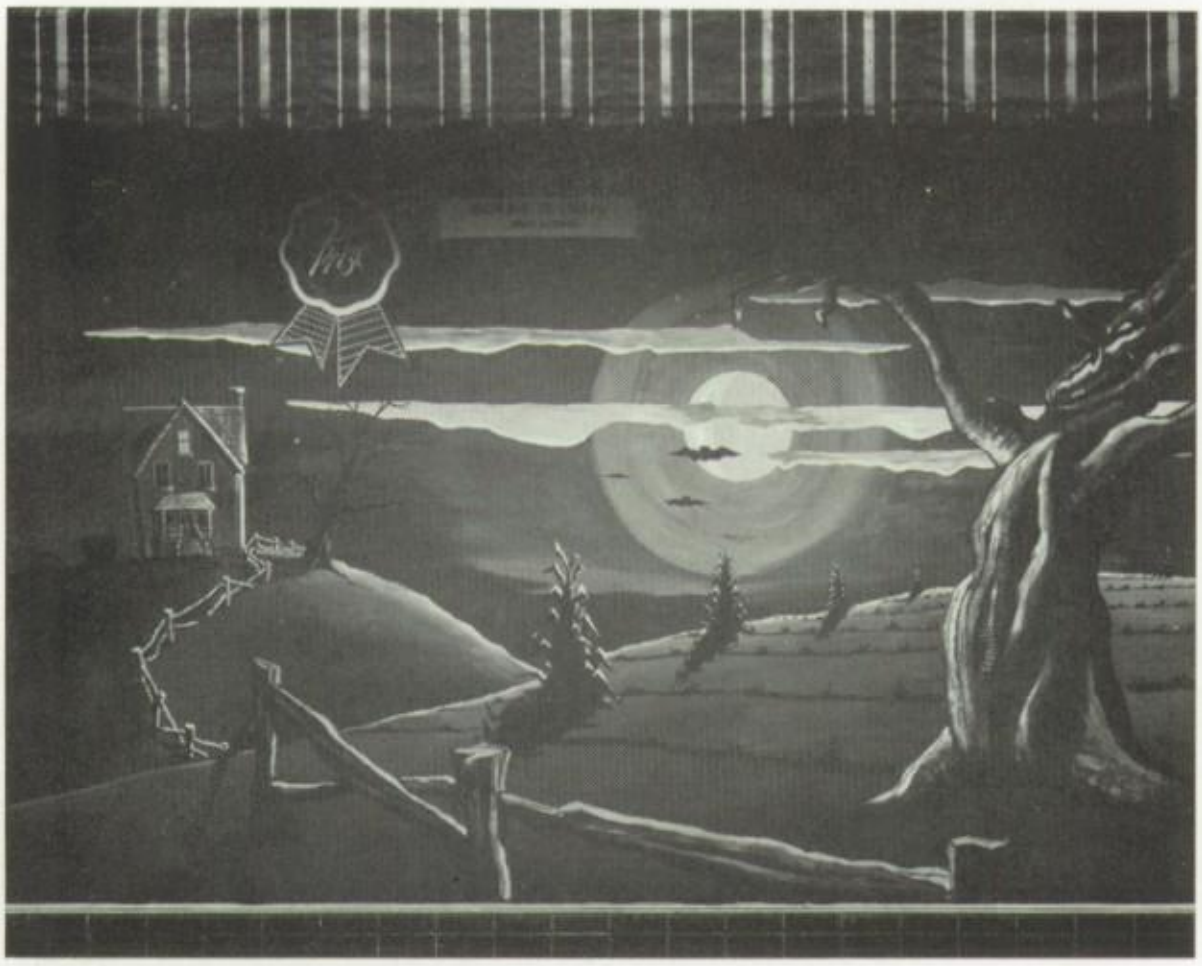
Easy to get along with . . . likes people . . . one of our future teachers. ACTIVITIES - Girls' Basketball Team 3, 4; Chorus 4; Dramatics Club 4; F.T.A. 4; Pep Club 4; Y-Teens 4

VIRGINIA PERSHING - Academic

Sincere and interested . . . always ready to lend hand . . . sees the best in others. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Home Economics Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 4

JAMES PHILLIPS - Academic

Likeable and friendly . . . seldom complains . . . quiet and intelligent. ACTIVITIES - Echo staff 1; Bowling Club 2; Sportsman's Club 3; Audio-Visual Aids 3; Jets Club 3; National Honor Society 3, 4, Vice-president 4



THE NIGHTMARE BEFORE THE TEST

Hallowe'en provided a theme which won three Richland students, Jim Bury, Ron Grush, and Bill Lape, second prize in Glosser's Window Display Contest. Evidently the ghostly scene failed to scare away the judges.

CAROL PITERA - Academic

Always looking for a good time . . . vitamized . . . just look at that pretty smile. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Football Court 2, 4; Portal staff 3, 4; Student Council 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Jr. High Captain 1

JAMES REED - Academic

Our class president . . . favorite pastime seems to be basketball . . . tall and intelligent. ACTIVITIES - Baseball 2; Track 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Class President 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4; King of Senior Class 4

ROSE MARGARET REESEY - Commercial

Never a care in the world . . . a fun-loving girl with a pleasant personality. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Y-Teens 2; Girls' Basketball Team 3, 4

GEORGIANNE RICE - Academic

Look at that beautiful hair . . . calm and sure of herself . . . has that "gift of gab." ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 4; Dramatics Club 4

BARBARA RICHARDSON - Commercial

Quiet but easy to get along with . . . a true friend . . . has an Irish temper to go with her red hair. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4

GEORGIANN RISH - Academic

A strong curiosity . . . never takes "no" for an answer . . . a real go-getter. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 2; Chorus 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics Club 4

BONNIE ROBERTS - Academic

A competent leader . . . spiced with sophistication . . . a successful future. ACTIVITIES - Class President 1; Y-Teens 1; Football Court 2; Candy Captain 3; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4, Assistant Chaplain 3, President 4; National Honor Society 3, 4; Chorus 4; Representative to the War Memorial Tournament 4; Queen of Football 4; Class Court 4

ROBERT RODGERS - Academic

Attaches sentimental value to a certain seat in French class . . . happy-go-lucky . . . have guitar—will travel. ACTIVITIES - Hi-Y 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Jets 4; Varsity "R" 4

IRENE ROSEMAN - Commercial

"Rene" is the feminine half of '62's only set of twins . . . an asset in the commercial department . . . silent but certain. ACTIVITIES - Chorus 1; Y-Teens 1, 2; Librarian 2, 3, 4; Color Guard 3, 4; Portal staff 4

RONALD ROSEMAN - Industrial Arts

"Ron" is determined . . . sincere and honest with friends . . . good moods prevail. ACTIVITIES - All Purpose Club 2, 3; Audio Visual Aids 3

GLENDA KAY ROXBY - Academic

Takes everything in stride . . . quiet in the classroom . . . main interests are out of school. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1

BARBARA RUMMEL - Academic

Knows exactly what she wants and aims to get it . . . if we know "Barb", she'll go far in teaching the younger set. ACTIVITIES - Band 1, 2; F.T.A. 4; Y-Teens 4, Vice President 4

HELEN C. SCHAFFER - Academic

Devoted to all of her many activities; also to her many friends ... "Gypsy" ... there's a white cap in her dreams. ACTIVITIES - Librarian 1; Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; National Honor Society 3, 4, Secretary 4; Chorus 4; Dramatics Club 4; Echo staff 4; Portal staff 4

DAVID SCHLOSSER - Academic

Dependable, willing and able ... "Dave" likes a good argument ... independent. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1; Biology Club 2; Ramsmen 4

KITTY ANN SEARLE - Academic

Contributes much to Echo ... sweet and almost shy ... would never let a friend down. ACTIVITIES - Echo staff 4

SANDRA SELL - Academic

Guaranteed fun when "Sandy" is around ... has her serious moments too ... lively and full of pep. ACTIVITIES - Dramatics Club 1, 2; Pep Club 3, 4; F.T.A. 4

GALE SHAFFER - Commercial

Takes a real interest in all she does ... her pleasant ways are a hit with everyone. ACTIVITIES - Librarian 1; Y-Teens 1, 2; Girls' Basketball team 3, 4

LINDA SHAFFER - Commercial

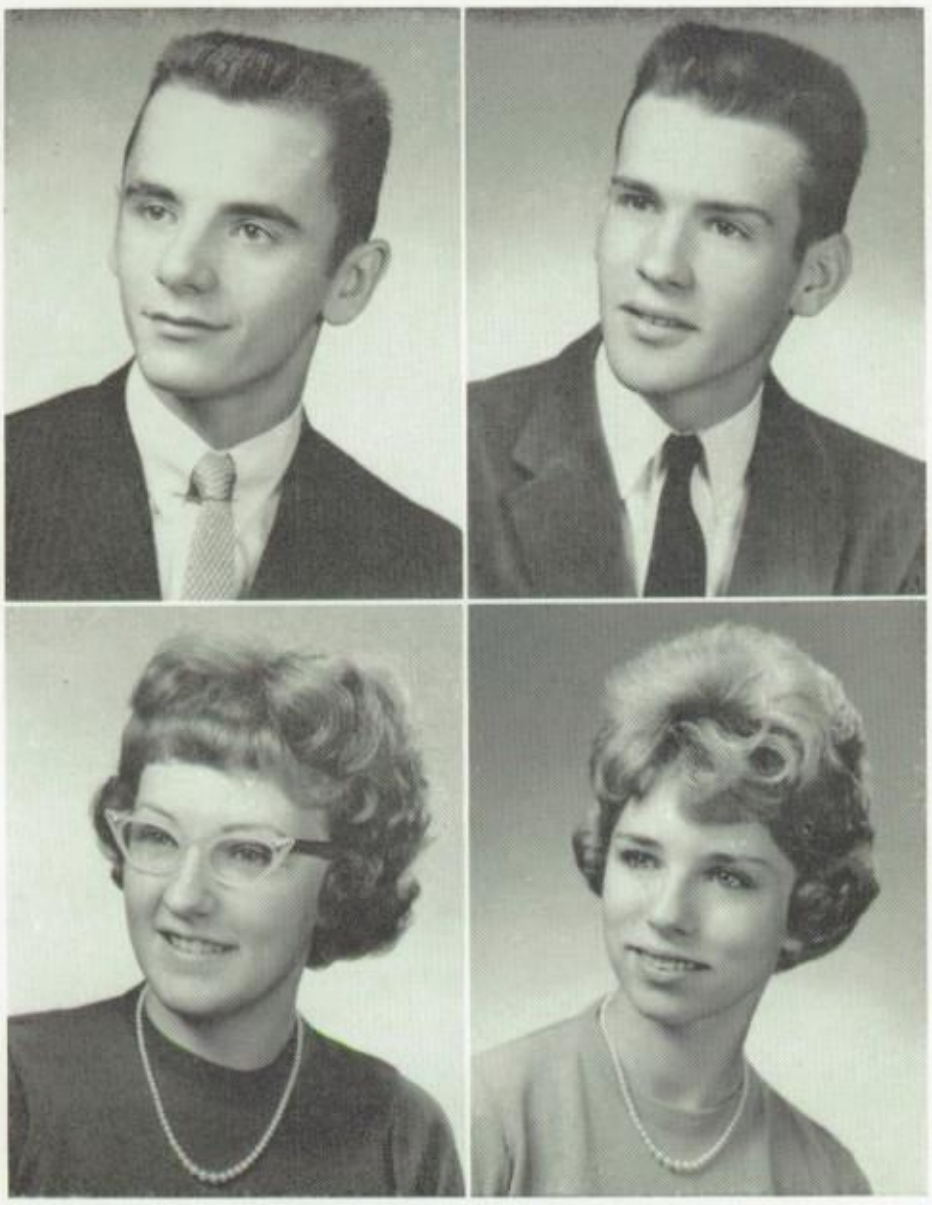
Synonym for hilarity ... never find a more loyal or sincere friend ... perfect smile for everyone; ACTIVITIES - Pep Club 1; Y-Teens 2, President 2; Class Secretary 3, 4; Student Council 4; Class Court 4

BOB SHAFFER - Industrial Arts

Not so tall ... not small in dependability ... friendly. ACTIVITIES - Biology Club 2; Visual Aids 3, 4; Ramsmen 4; Dramatics Club 4

ANITA L. SHIRT - Commercial

Peppy and petite ... will gladly prove she likes to dance ... gay and easy-going ... has made plans for the future.



JOHN SHOLTIS - Academic
The all sports man ... out for a good time ... a real good looker. ACTIVITIES - Hi-Y 1; Biology Club 2; Football 1, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Football Court 4; Class Court 4; Portal staff 4

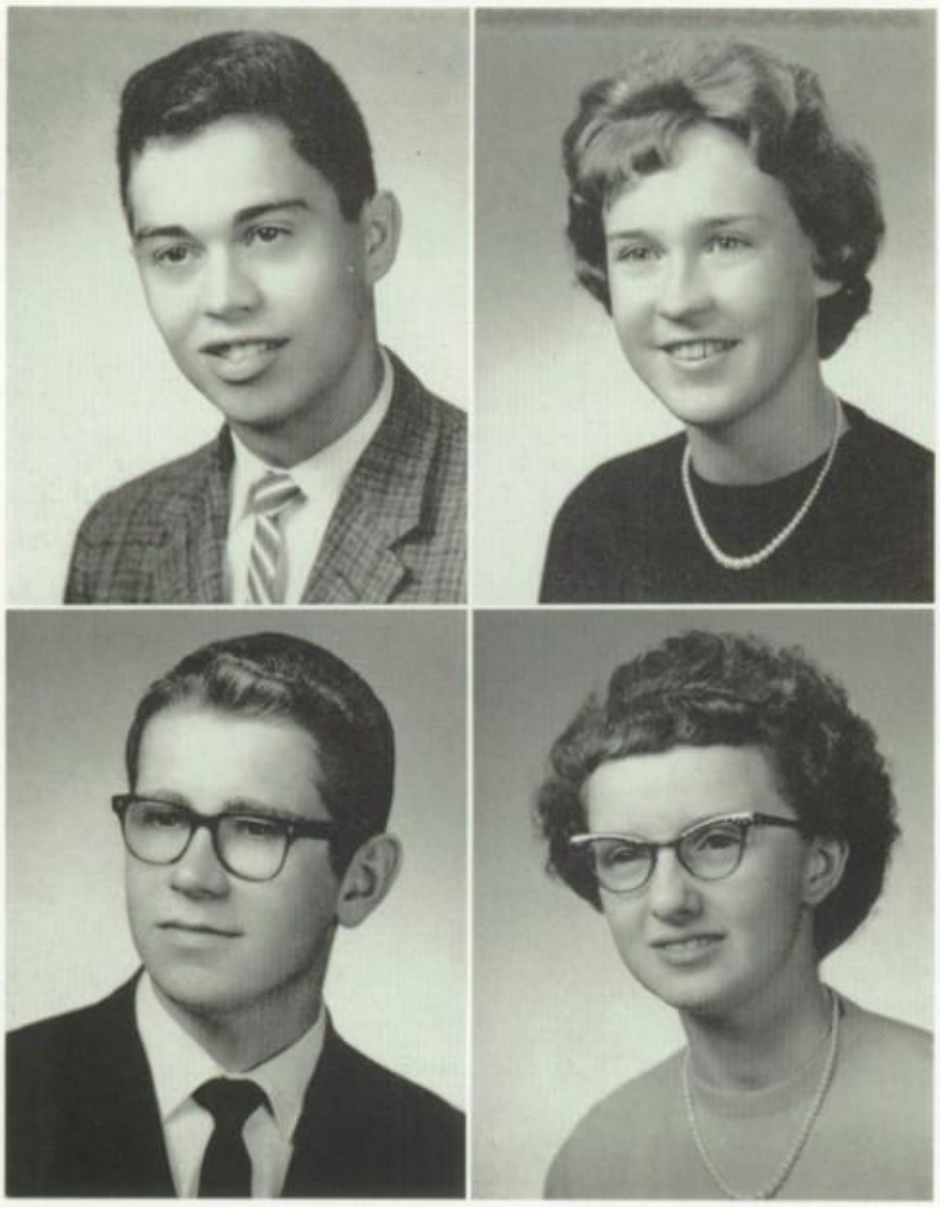
CARL SHUMAKER - Academic
Better known as "Shoes" ... "Heard the latest joke?" ... partial to blondes (Sorry, girls). ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1; Biology Club 2; Track 2, 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Head Quartermaster 2; Vice President 3, President 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3, 4; Echo staff 4

PAULETTE SIDOR - Academic
"Polly" is chic and sweet ... likes military men ... can sew, cook, and dance, Boys! ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1; Class Treasurer 1; Biology Club 2; Pep Club 3, 4

CAROL SIPKO - Academic
Import from Johnstown Catholic ... one of our working girls ... a sleek blonde with plans after graduation. ACTIVITIES - Chorus 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3; Y-Teens 4; Dramatics Club 4

AND WHO CHECKS UP ON THE HALL MONITORS?

Where's the hall monitor? It seems as though Mr. Gulick is checking up on Dennis Betz and Tom Doubt.



HARRY SKILES - Academic

Wise and witty . . . our popular playmaker . . . great potentiality. ACTIVITIES - Hi-Y 1; Biology Club 2; Candy Captain 3; Varsity "R" 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Student Council 4, Vice-president 4; Class Court 4

RUTH STAFFORD - Academic

Has a nice smile . . . a sincere friend . . . real whiz in English class. ACTIVITIES - Home Economics Club 1; Echo staff 4; Y-Teens 4

WAYNE A. STATLER - Academic

Leader of a torrid discussion . . . has a keen mind . . . a good convincer. ACTIVITIES - Photography Club 1; Biology Club 2; Band 1, 2, 3; Stage Crew 1, 2, 3, 4; Student United Nations 4, Treasurer 4; Dramatics Club 4; Ramsmen 4; Track manager 3, 4; Science Club 4

NANCY STUDT - Commercial

Quiet but determined . . . small and sweet . . . likes to read.

IRENE STULL - Academic

Straight-forward personality . . . enjoys a good time . . . loads of laughs in gym class. ACTIVITIES - GAA 1; Home Economics Club 1, 2; Archery Club 1; Girls' Basketball team 3, 4; Pep Club 4; Portal staff 4; Y-Teens 4

ROBERT JOSEPH SUCHECK - Academic

Joined us in his senior year . . . "Bob" found it easy to become part of R.H.S. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1; Jets Club 4

ARLENE SWALTEK - Commercial

Never turns down a friend . . . can succumb anyone to laughter . . . a barrel of fun. ACTIVITIES - Handicraft Club 1; GAA 2; Girls' Basketball team 3; Dramatics Club 4; Echo staff 4; Y-Teens 4

CAROL ANN SWICK - Academic

Gentlemen prefer blondes . . . popular . . . will increase the scenic value of any campus. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1; Biology Club 2, Secretary 2; Pep Club 3, 4; Class Secretary 2; Class Treasurer 3; Student Council 3, 4, Secretary 4; F.T.A. 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Portal staff 3, 4, Co-editor 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Football Court 4; Class Court 4

GARY THIRKELL - Academic

Full of laughs ... a Navy man ... notice the dark expressive eyes. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1; Electronics Club 2; Science Club 3

JACK THOMAS - Academic

Drives a fast Impala ... very likeable ... enjoys the light side of things. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1, 2; Sportsman's Club 1; Electronics Club 3

LINDA C. THOMPSON - Commercial

Takes a pretty picture ... gay ... can chase your gloom away. ACTIVITIES - Chorus 1; Librarian 1; Y-Teens 1, 4; Pep Club 2, 4; Echo staff 4

WAYNE TRESSLER - General

Enjoys people ... always displays a cheerful attitude ... never complains. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1, 2; Bowling Club 1; Student United Nations 4

A PENNY FOR YOUR THOUGHTS

Geraldine Block, winner of the "I Speak For Democracy Contest," is shown accepting her check from Mr. Smith while Mr. Hozik looks on. Other winners are also shown. They are Jeanne Kostro, Betty Hostetler, and Larry Horne. Jeanne placed second; Betty and Larry tied for third. The themes were centered around the title "What Freedom Means To Me."

PAT TUCKER - Academic

Friendly . . . "Pat" is the head of our Audio-Visual Aids . . . a gum-chewer. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1; Audio Visual Aids 3, 4; Ramsmen 4; Stage Crew 4

SHIRLEY VARNER - Commercial

Found among the books . . . certainly not shy . . . will be a good secretary. ACTIVITIES - Echo staff 3, 4; Librarian 1, 2, 3, 4

BARRY VORE - Industrial Arts

Ship ahoy! . . . thinks of others . . . trouble follows him. ACTIVITIES - Archery Club 1; Biology Club 2

WILLIAM J. WATKINS - General

"Bill" has a positive outlook . . . attracts people . . . jovial to all. ACTIVITIES - Class Vice-president 1; Biology Club 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Junior Candy Captain 3; Varsity "R" 4; Ramsmen 4

JUDY WELLER - Commercial

Has that certain something . . . can cause laughter . . . boys—beware! ACTIVITIES - Cheerleader 1; Y-Teens 1; Pep Club 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4

JIM WEYAND - Academic

Our silent math whiz . . . baseball is his pastime . . . has a pleasing smile. ACTIVITIES - Bowling Club 1; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4

KERRY WILSON - Academic

Athletic-minded . . . a quiet friend . . . likes to do the twist. ACTIVITIES - Basketball 1; Football 1, 3, 4; Varsity "R" 4; F.T.A. 4; Track 4

BOB WILSON - Academic

"Bob" will argue for anything . . . intelligent . . . has a nice grin. ACTIVITIES - Student United Nations 3, 4

"All these formulas confuse me," says Marilyn Blough (right) as she takes advantage of the Honor Society tutoring service. Joanne Diamond helps Marilyn prepare her lesson for Physics Class.

IT'S A GOOD THING WE HAVE LAB TODAY

BILL WOLF - Fine Arts

Fine leather worker . . . fun to have around . . . never without a steady. ACTIVITIES - Leathercraft Club 1, 2; Basketball Manager 1

FRED WOLF - Academic

The tall man . . . finds water sports enjoyable . . . has a sensible nature. ACTIVITIES - Football 1; Track 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Sportsmen Club 2; Hi-Y Club 1; Baseball 3, 4; Student Council 4; F.T.A. 4; All Tournament Team 4; Class Court 4

JUDITH ANN WRIGHT - Academic

Has that regal look . . . very photogenic . . . dull moments are few. ACTIVITIES - Y-Teens 1, 4, Treasurer 1, President 4; Biology Club 2, Treasurer 2; Majorette 3, 4, Co-captain 4; Pep Club 3, 4; Echo staff 4; Queen of Senior Class 4

NICK ZEDLAR - Fine Arts

A motorcycle guy . . . lots of energy . . . a good sport. ACTIVITIES - Archery 1

Persons pictured in the photo on the opposite page are—
Jon Kehl
Cheryl Irons
Lynda Zarisky
Frank Fabish

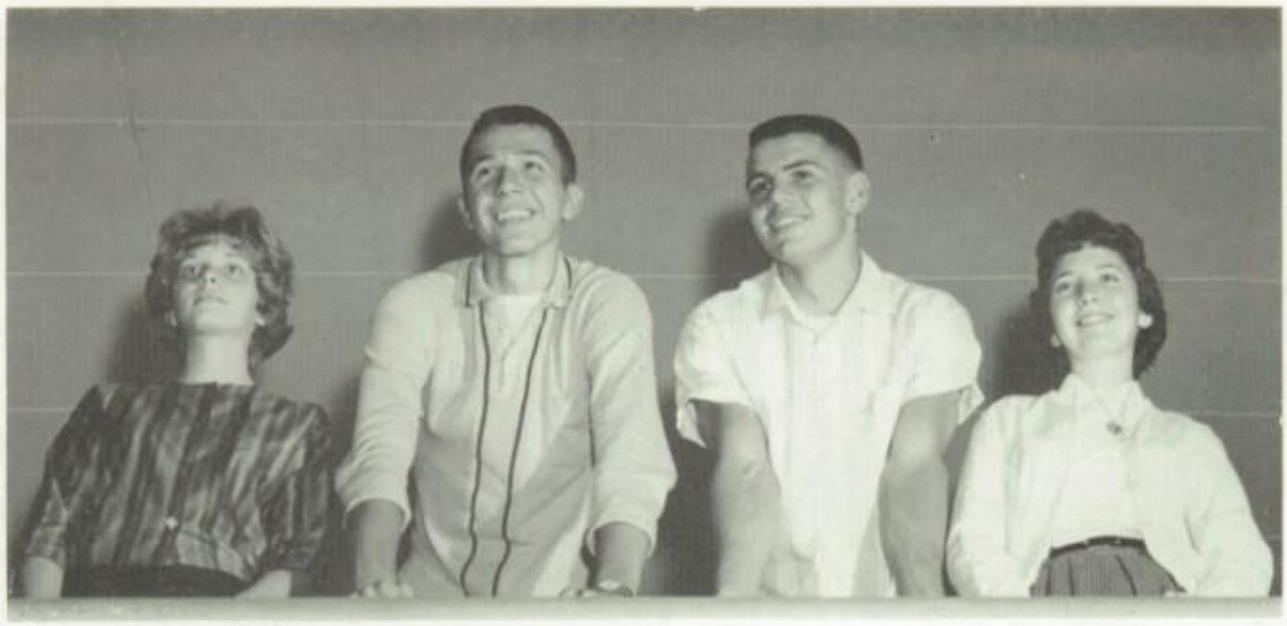
Presenting . . . .

The Classes

To be one of a class gives a student an identify, a place in life. People know who we are and what we can do when we tell them our class in school. As members of a class, we are growing year by year in knowledge and maturity. We step into the broader world of high school as seventh graders, a little bewildered and confused at the size and scope of our new school world. Class year by class year we broaden our minds and social horizons until, as young men and women, we reach graduation.

Here are the faces of those students who make up Richland High School. In six years, the seventh graders here will not resemble their present pictures very much . . . and perhaps many of the juniors won't either. Search for your own face and those of your friends in these pages. They are here.

Underclasses



Junior Leaders

The Junior Class officers, who were chosen for their leadership and dependability, are Lynda Zarisky, secretary; Ray Faczan, president; Frank Fabish, vice-president; and Peggy Hornick, treasurer.

A busy year always confronts the Juniors. Among their activities, they chose the class's symbols. Their colors are gold and white; their flower is the yellow rose. "Leadership for some, achievement for many, service for all" is their motto. At the Sunnyhanna Country Club on May 25 they bid farewell to the graduating seniors. All agreed that the prom was a most successful affair.

JUNIORS: Class of '63

J. Adams

J. Barkhimer
R. Bassett
G. Beam
R. Beam
T. Beam
P. Berish

J. Blough
M. Blough
G. Borischak
J. Bouch
D. Bowers
J. Boyko

G. Brandle
R. Brandt
S. Brant
F. Burbulla
R. Burke
G. Burman

J. Burneff
B. Campbell
M. Claycomb
L. Clemenceau
J. Coco
L. DeBiase

R. Deitke
D. DiBartola
N. Doubt
L. Dravis
M. Drenning
L. Ellsworth

L. Emeigh
N. Erb
F. Fabish
R. Faczan
L. Friedman
C. Furniss

P. Gaston
L. Gennett
C. George
S. Gilbert
E. Gindlesperger
S. Gleich

S. Green
L. Grubb
F. Hammer
T. Hammer
D. Hanak
R. Harbaugh

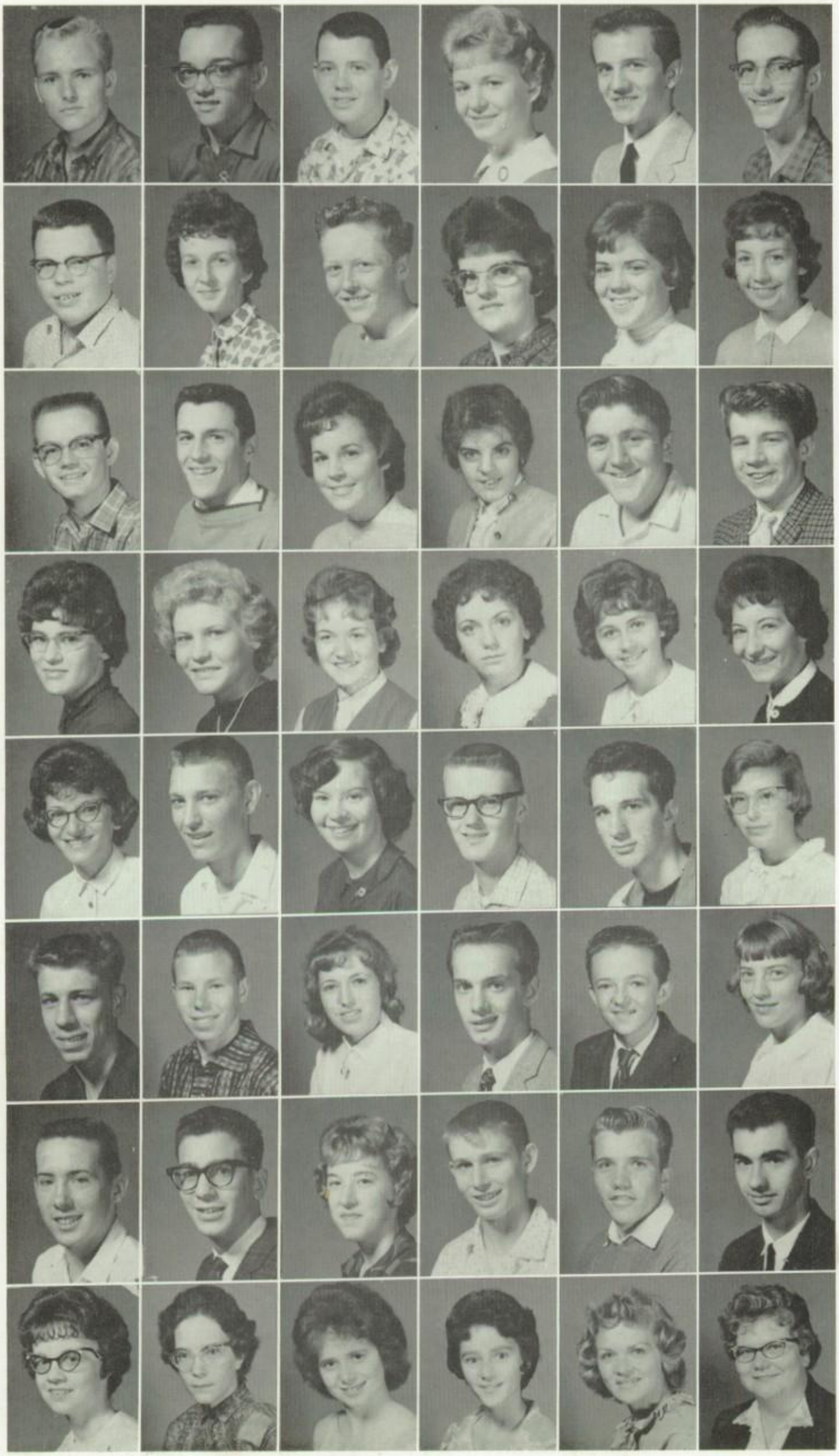
"SMILE—SALESMEN SHOULD BE FRIENDLY"

Following the custom of classes before, this year's Junior class sold Christmas candy as their money-making project. As shown here, Miss Genevieve Thomas, the Junior class adviser, distributes the "candy champs" titles. They are: Bill Kenny, second boy; Pat Perry, highest girl; Bill Lloyd, highest boy; and Sandy Green, second girl. The prizes awarded were a watch for Pat, a transistor radio for Bill Lloyd, and table radios for Sandy and Bill Kenny. This project, as felt by the Juniors, couldn't have been accomplished without the excellent supervision of Miss Thomas.

Candy Captains Compete

The students pictured here were selected captains of the candy teams. The class was divided into eight teams which competed for the highest amount of sales. Barbara Petz's group outsold the others. The captains are: **ROW 1**—Gerry Burman, Terry Hammer, Barbara Petz, Norma Yost. **ROW 2**—Janet Hoffman, Tim Hunt, Jack Boyko, and Sandy Riffle.

THE PRIZES COME LATER



J. Harclerode
B. Harder
T. Hart
S. Havener
G. Heidingsfelder
D. Hileman

D. Himmer
C. Hlavay
G. Hofecker
G. Hoffman
J. Hoffman
M. Hornick

T. Hunt
J. Jardina
J. Kaufman
S. Kelly
W. Kenny
R. Kidd

C. Kiser
J. Knapp
B. Komiser
D. Kopka
J. Kormanik
P. Kovach

P. Kush
L. Langerholc
S. Lehman
R. Lewis
W. Lloyd
J. Loushe

T. Lux
L. McCloud
D. McVickers
C. Milazzo
J. Melhorn
C. Miller

C. Miller
M. Misler
J. Morris
W. Mundwiler
G. Naugle
D. Nimmo

K. Noon
K. Parsons
P. Perry
B. Petz
D. Plummer
M. Podlucky

S. Pritts
R. Rager
J. Ream
N. Reed
C. Rifilato
L. Robinson

F. Robel
E. Rodkey
K. Rosenbaum
R. Rosko
S. Schobel
L. Schrock

J. Shaffer
D. Spencer
S. Streilein
G. Stuart
R. Stump
D. Swartz

M. Swick
D. Tercek
M. Trostle
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C. Walk
D. Wilson

D. Wingard
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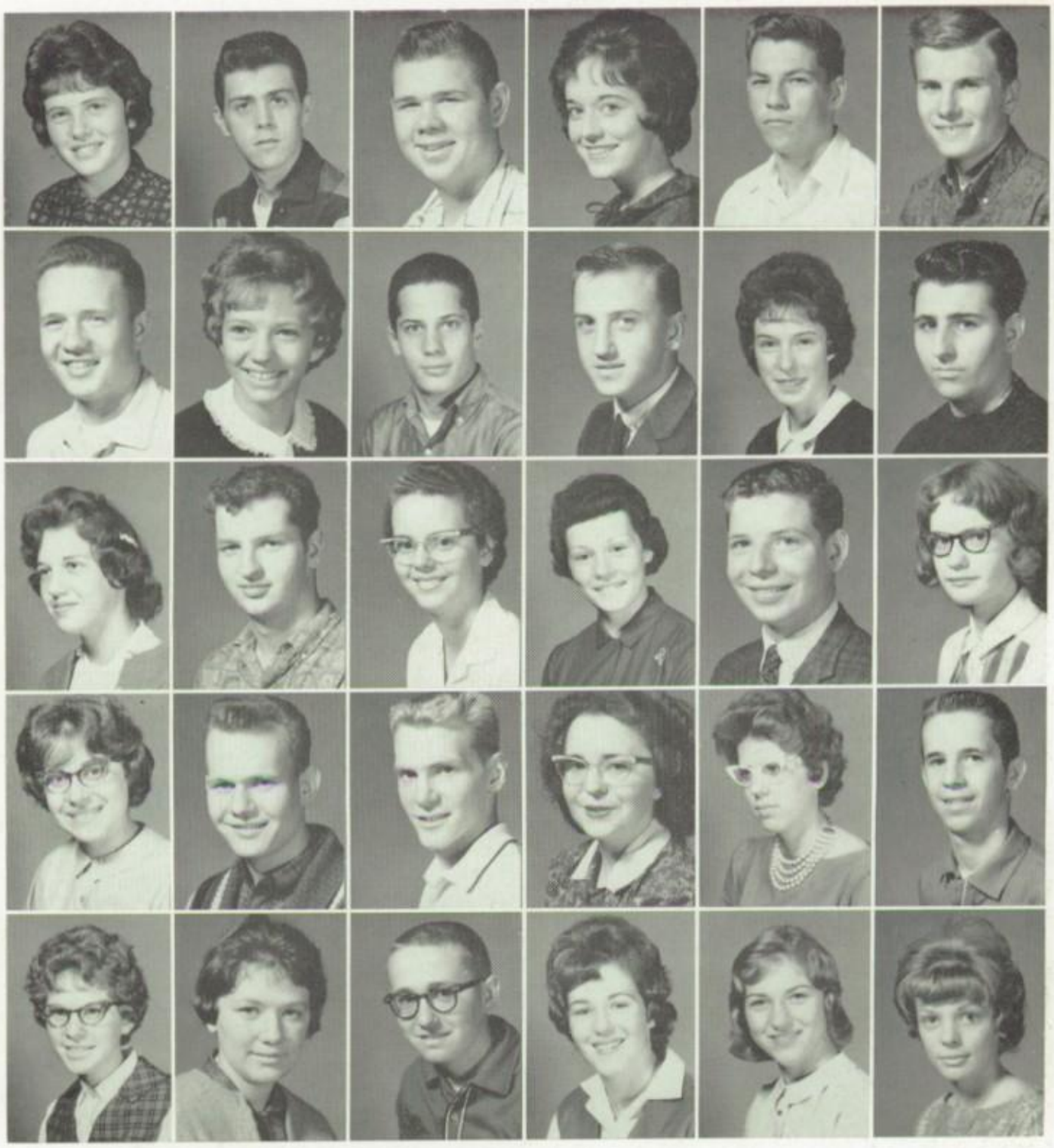
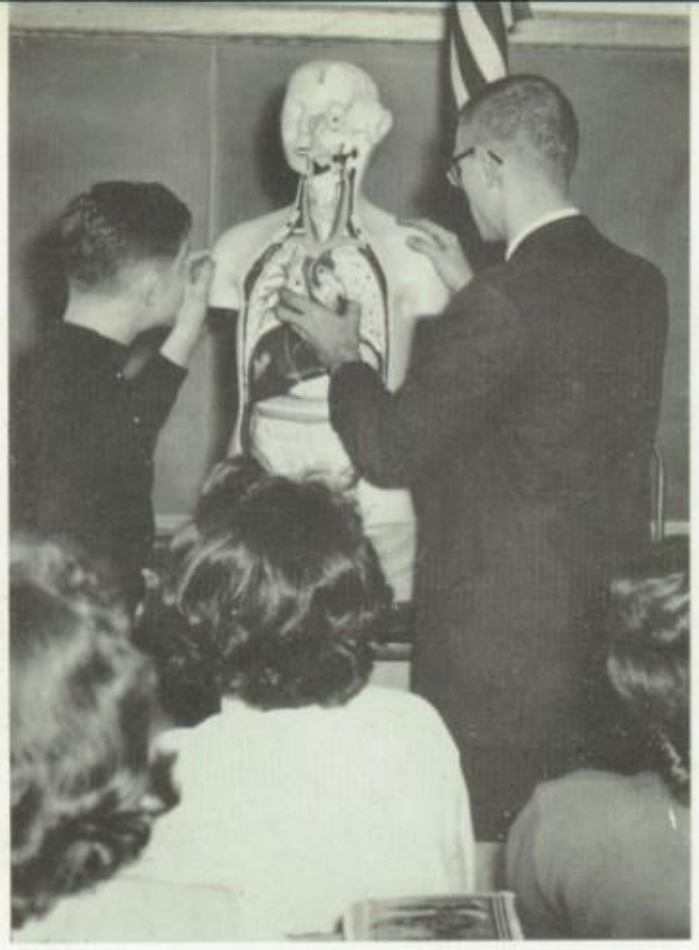
D. Wissinger
N. Wolf
N. Yost
L. Zarisky



"SHHHHH—MR. HEPTNER'S LOOKING! !"

Study halls give our students a chance to catch up on their studies, or, as these Juniors consider them, a rest during a long day.



WATCH MR. Q

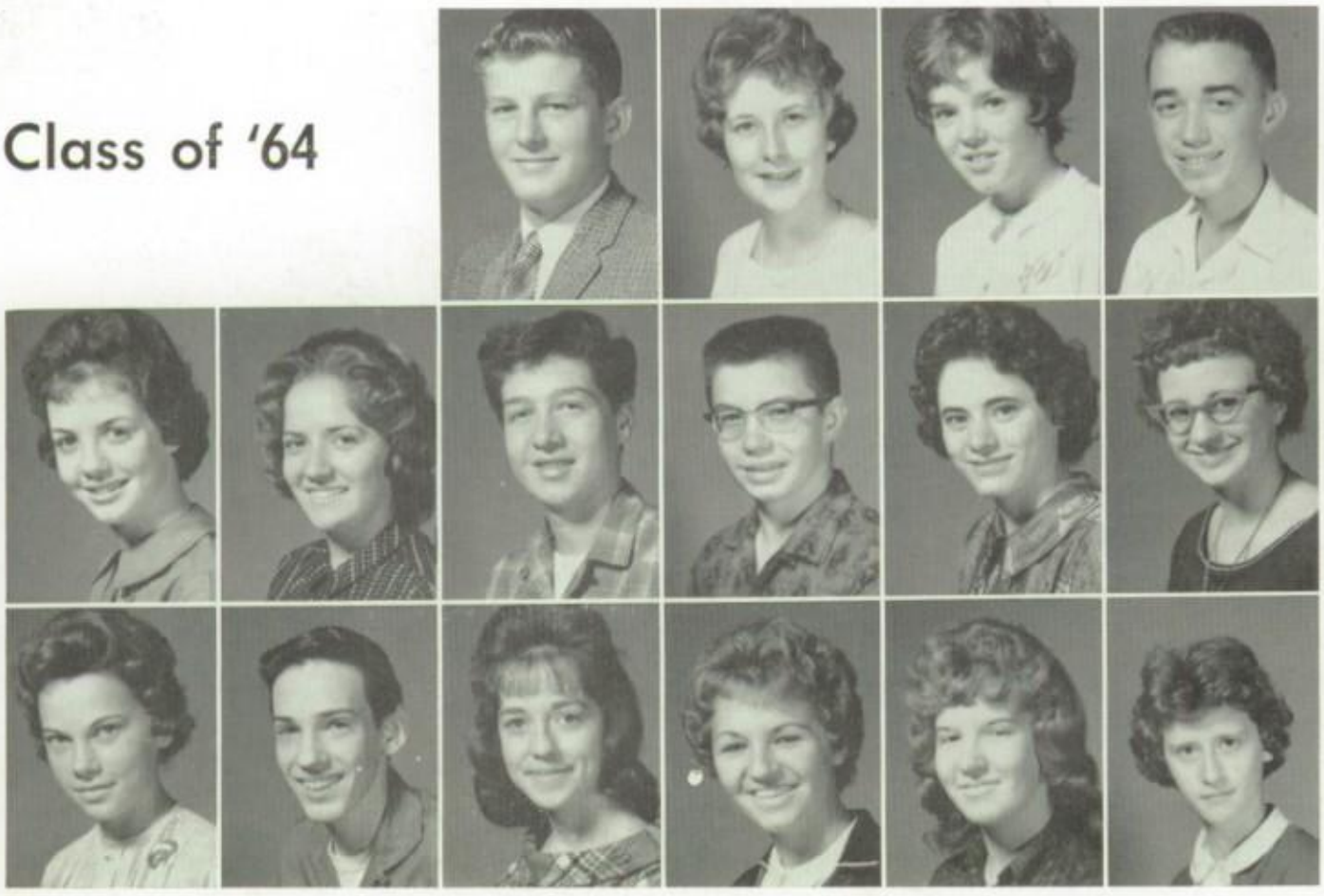
New and better visual aids add to the interest as well as facilitate learning in this tenth grade biology class which is under the guiding supervision of Mr. William MaQuilken. This group is using a plastic model of the human body to make explanations more meaningful.

SURELY THESE AREN'T "SKIPPERS!"

Never! But chances such as these to exchange greetings, ask about last night's activities or tonight's homework are brief but pleasant interludes. Here we see Connie Bafile, Clem Thatcher, Rick Hutzler, and Brenda Zedlar enjoying one of these "all too few" occasions on the stairs.

SOPHOMORES

Class of '64



C. Adams
M. Aird
V. Albert
M. Allison

R. Ashbrook
C. Bafile
J. Barkhimer
L. Baumbaugh
K. Bell
S. Bell

S. Bender
D. Benford
C. Birtle
M. Bittner
J. Block
C. Bloom

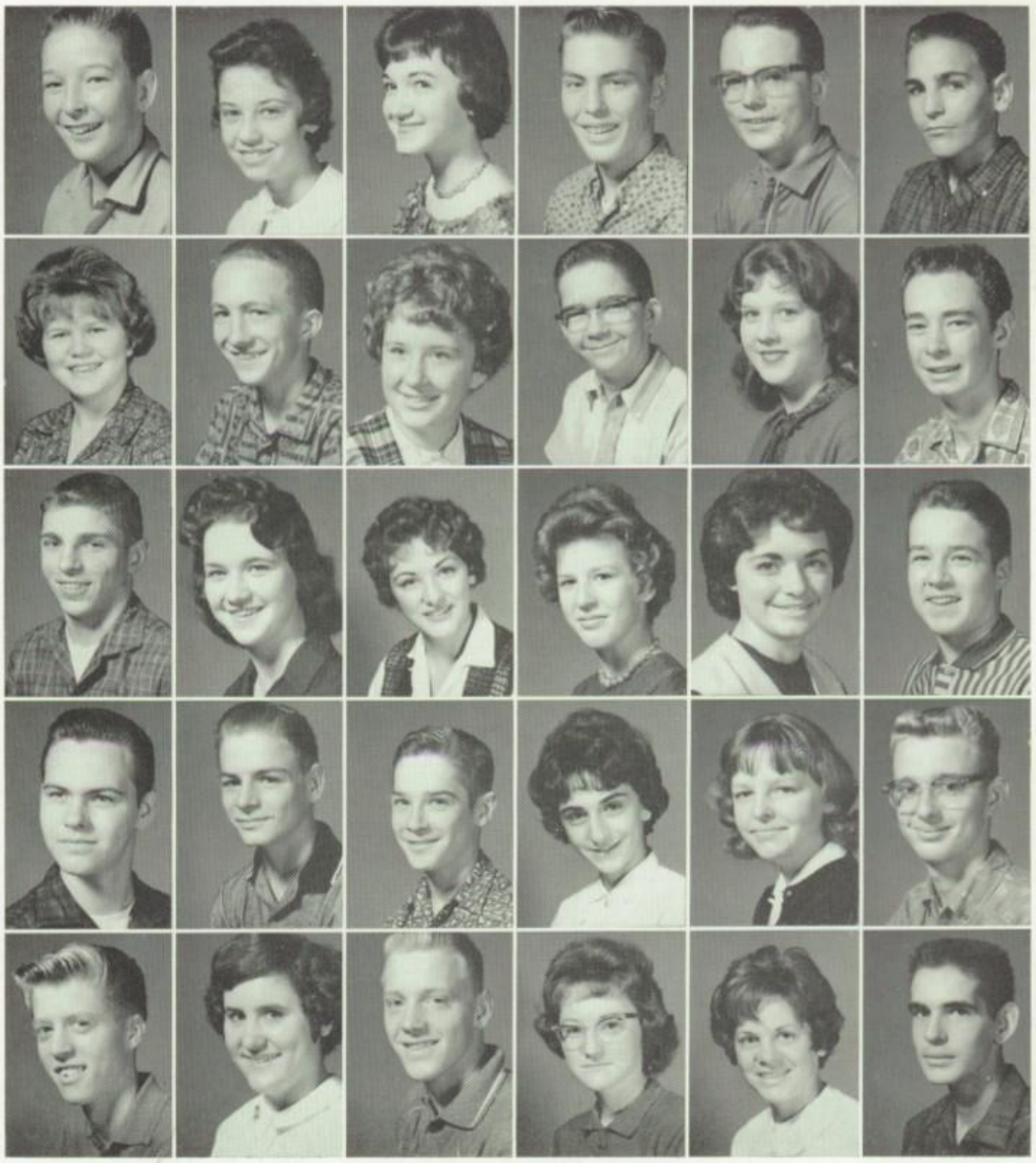
E. Blough
G. Blough
L. Blough
J. Blue
D. Boyer
L. Boysza

M. Brandle
J. Burkhart
S. Caddy
W. Callihan
C. Caltabach
R. Campbell

G. Carney
M. Cassidy
C. Christner
E. Chudik
C. Cober
T. Coleman

D. Colvin
W. Cramer
B. Crelli
A. Curry
J. Czinko
K. Diable

D. Erzen
D. Fair
R. Figard
J. Fluke
D. Frazier
A. Fronzoli



NO ROUGH STUFF, BOYS!

J. Gallagher
R. Gaydosh
D. Gembinski
J. Gennett
J. Gillette
I. Glacken

D. Glattke
J. Goss
C. Gurka
S. Hancock
W. Hardy
P. Hawk

J. Hayes
F. Heming
K. Hershberger
S. Hershberger
L. Hetrick
B. Hillman

A. Hinton
B. Hofecker
C. Horner
N. Horner
A. Horvath
C. Hubbard

R. Hunt
R. Hutzler
L. Ickes
C. Irons
D. Irons
J. Iswak

D. Ivancic
J. Jardina
R. Johnson
B. Jones
N. Karl
J. Karmendy

G. Kauffman
J. Kehl
A. Kenny
P. Kermin
C. Killen
D. Klimeck

Karen Klimeck
Kathy Klimeck
R. Knipple
C. Konoski
A. Kormanik
J. Kramer

S. Krasovic
J. Krivach
K. Kuehne
J. Kuhlman
C. Kuzmiak
V. Lambert

A. Langerholc
M. Lesosky
L. Ling
J. Logan
D. Logar
R. Long

D. Lyons
P. Lythgoe
F. McCleester
K. Machtley
C. Marsh
H. Marsh

P. Messler
A. Mihalko
R. Mills
C. Nitch
J. Pershing
M. Podlucky

J. Prazich
A. Profaizer
W. Radi
G. Read
G. Redick
E. Reed

N. Reeder
R. Ripple
J. Roberts
M. Rogers
V. Roman
R. Roth

R. Roxby
R. Sabol
R. Samuel
C. Saylor
E. Scislow
J. Secora

L. Seese
H. Shaffer
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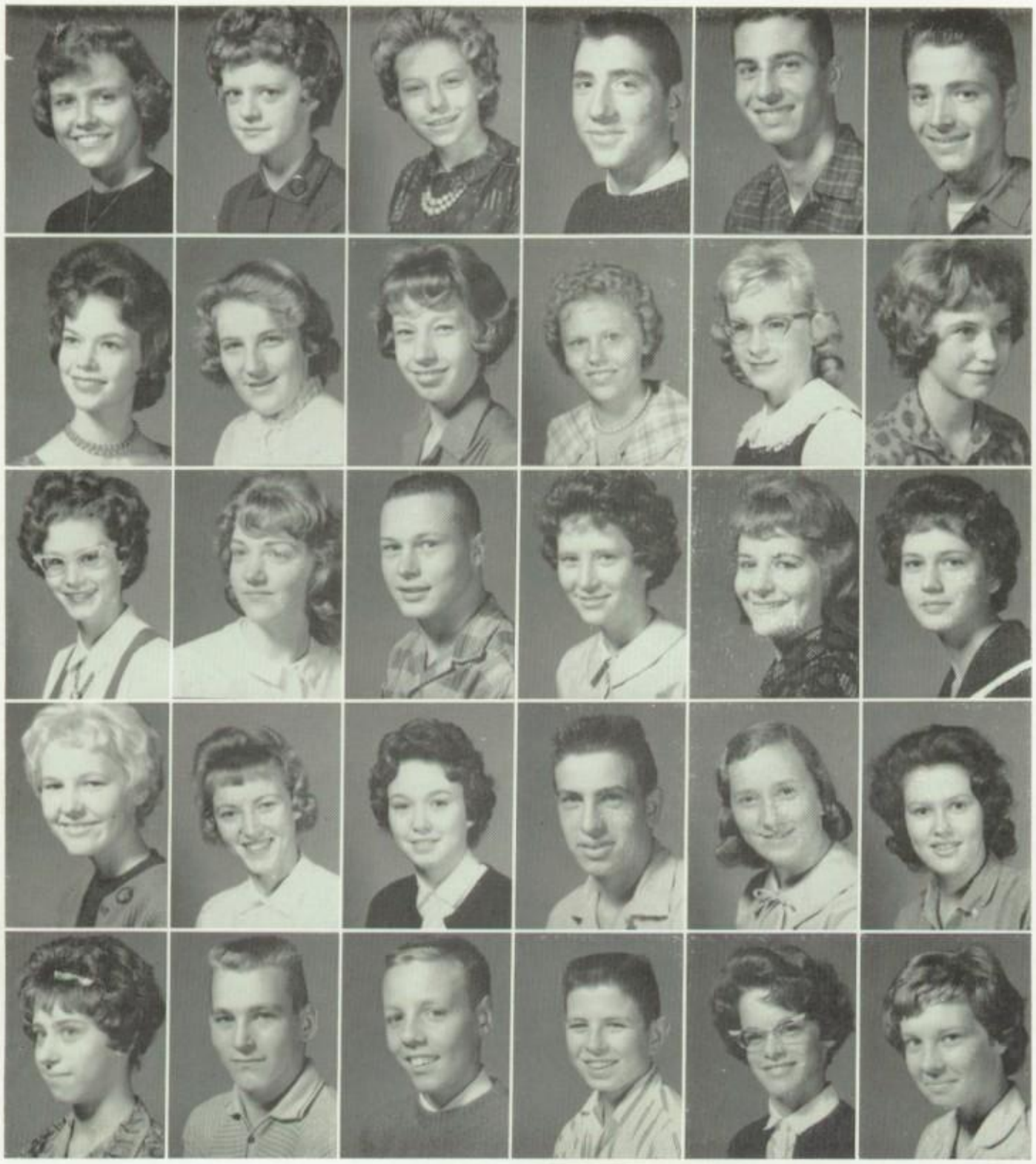
T. Sherwood
G. Sholtis



E. Sichak
K. Singer
P. Slagle
R. Slatcoff
L. Small
J. Smith

T. Smith
B. Sowerbrower
B. Starek
L. Statler
C. Stoner
M. Strick

C. Stublar
F. Terchanyn
C. Thatcher
J. Thirkell
B. Thompson
D. Umbach

N. Walter
J. Warshel
V. Wever
R. Weyand
C. Weyant
E. Wilkinson

C. Witzer
J. Wonders
B. Yarnick
T. Yost
B. Zedler
M. Zell

Where's the Mistletoe?

Through the efforts of the Student Council a Christmas tree decorated the cafeteria during the holiday season. The festive air thus created helped the students to anticipate their long vacation. Here Antoinette Horvath, Barry Hofecker, and Clyde Horner try their hand at redecorating the tree.

TAKE ME TO YOUR LEADER

Now What?

Since we have been elected to our office what must we do? Serving the ninth grade, left to right, were Terry Purbaugh, president; Skip Rowland, vice-president; Mr. Wissler, adviser; Nancy Shaftner, secretary; and Jackie Sedlemeyer, treasurer.

Freshmen: Class of '65

The door of high school life really begins to spin for the freshmen student. Individual interests and talents are encouraged to flourish. Selection of college, commercial, or general courses will mold the collection of studies an individual student receives. Laitn, Algebra, Home Economics, and Shop help students choose the various courses of study they may wish to follow in the next three years. New clubs and activities are very important to the social life of the freshmen.

This year the class was again divided. Each half of the freshmen class spent one semester at the junior high building. Next year, as sophomores, they can look forward to an entire year at the high school.

B. Allison
H. Allison
L. Ahemus
D. Anderson
Sharon Armstrong
Sherl Armstrong
L. Ashbrook

J. Ashman
M. Babal
L. Barndt
L. Barnhart
J. Barto
G. Bauer
L. Benzone

B. Berkebile
G. Berkebile
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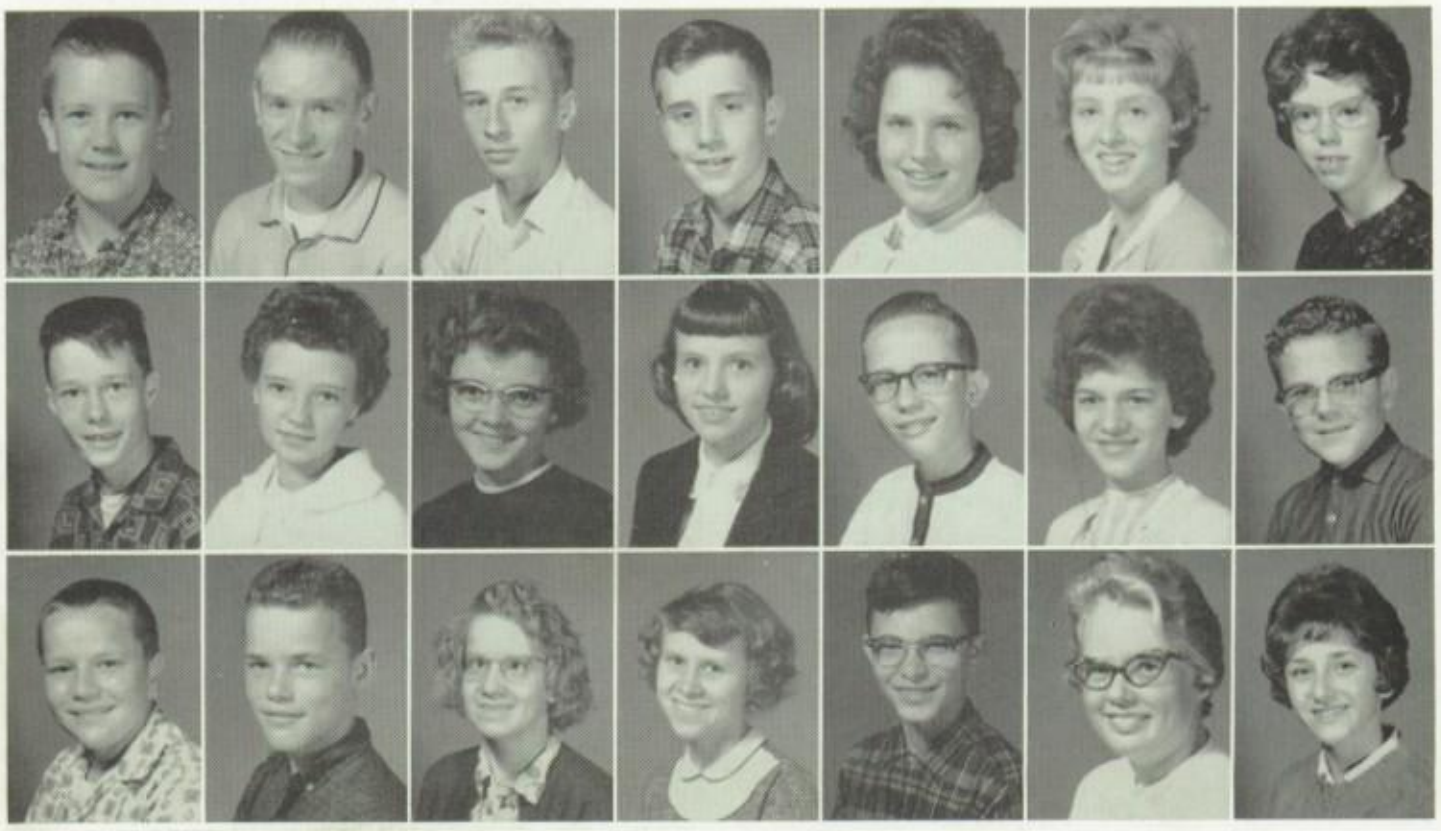
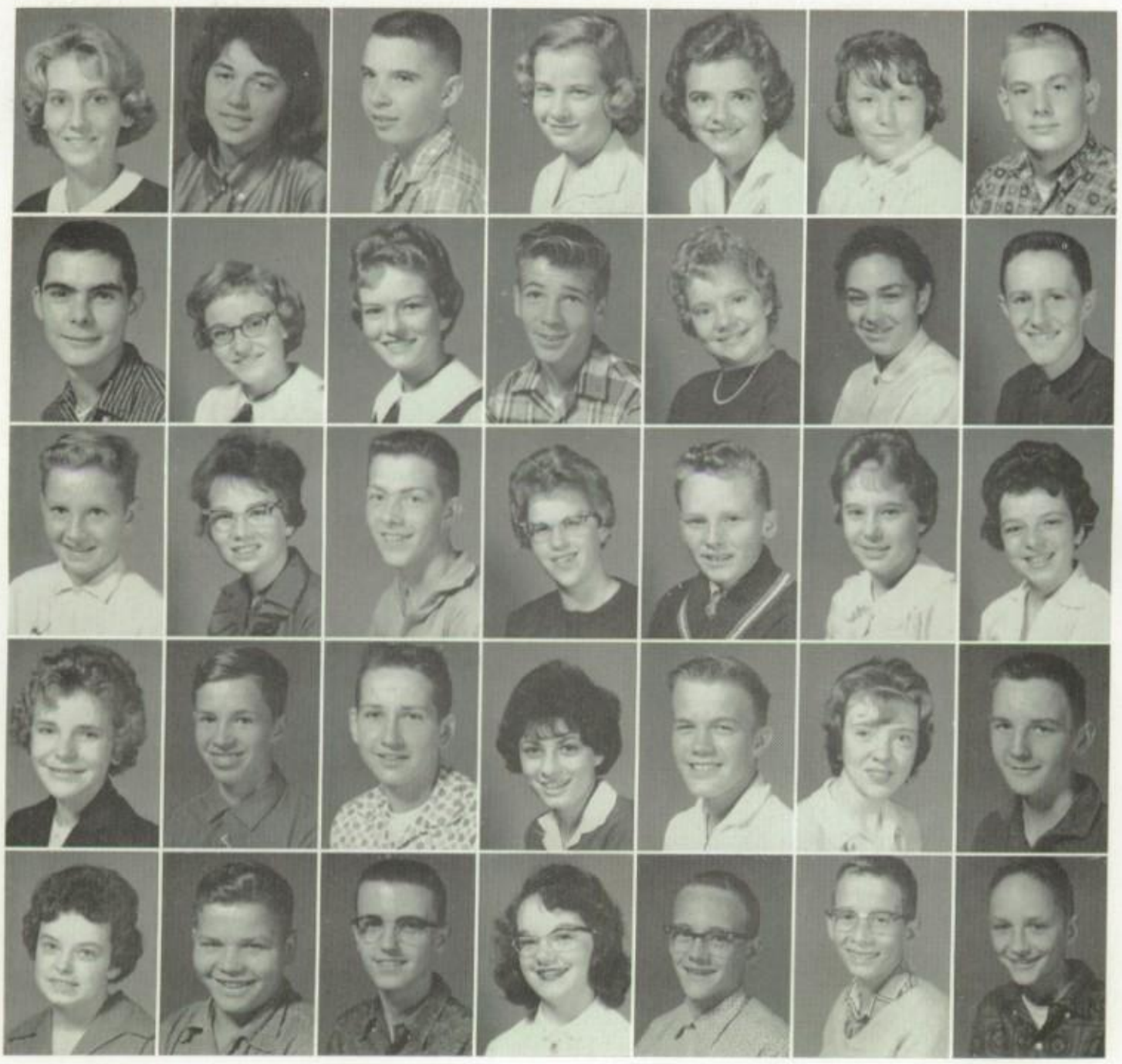
G. Bero
N. Blough
S. Blowers



AND THEREFORE WE MUST LEARN

Dennis McClain, Wayne Long, and Richard Poole are being helped by Romaine Mellott and Linda Seese as they are making use of the facilities which the library offers us.



N. Blue
C. Bokonyi
P. Boyer
D. Brandle
C. Brumbaugh
A. Brush
B. Bury

J. Cahill
P. Caldwell
B. Chaplain
P. Chmiel
J. Churchey
C. Coco
B. Cover

R. Cring
N. Daugherty
L. Davis
N. Dill
E. Dixon
S. Donna
E. Doyka

G. Drosky
G. Eash
B. Faith
D. Fauatella
J. Feathers
S. Ferg
G. Fetzer

B. Finch
A. Freeman
R. Fruitiger
J. Frye
R. Gaston
R. Gaston
R. Gembinski

L. Gennett
W. George
D. Gilbert
P. Gilbert
S. Goldie
C. Gomulka
D. Goughnour

L. Gregg
R. Gregorchik
G. Gully
R. Haberkorn
J. Hanak
M. Harclerode
E. Harvey

J. Heeney
M. Heidorn
Dick Hershiser
Donna Hershiser
E. Hershiser
D. Himes
D. Hoffman

H. Hoffman
N. Hoffman
S. Hoffman
D. Horner
J. Horner
L. Howard
S. Howard

R. Huebner
C. Inscho
S. Instone
C. Jones
D. Jordan
C. Katawczik
B. Kaufman

G. Kelley
M. Kelly
B. Ketterer
S. Kettler
L. Kirshman
S. Klesyk
S. Knepper

T. Knepper
J. Kormanik
C. Krouse
B. Kuhn
L. Langerholc
H. Layman
D. Lehman

F. Lesosky
B. Licht
P. Lingenfelter
A. Lloyd
D. Long
W. Long
J. Lucho

D. McClain
S. McCullough
A. Marshal
J. Martin
J. Matten
G. Mihalko
M. Milazzo

B. Miller
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K. Miller
L. Miller
R. Miller
S. Miske
J. Misler

B. Montag
B. Moore
R. Morrel
J. Mrsnik
F. Muchko
B. Murphy
Dave Murphy

Don Murphy
K. Murphy
J. Naugle
R. Noon
K. Orzell
B. Owens
James A. Parker

James L. Parker
J. Pataky
M. Pebley
J. Petraca
G. Petz
B. Pfile
B. Philips

J. Podrasky
B. Powell
J. Powell
T. Purbaugh
L. Ream
R. Ream
T. Ream

T. Rhoades
B. Richardson
D. Roberts
D. Romsburg
R. Rosage
E. Rowland
R. Roxby

L. Sanderson
M. Sankovich
N. Schaffner
D. Schmidt
L. Schmidt
D. Scislow
J. Searle

J. Sedlmeyer
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J. Sheldon

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A. States

A. Stelmack
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Paulette Strait
Philip Strait
S. Stull
D. Sukenik
S. Swartz

P. Szpet
J. Tallyen
G. Treece
S. Tucker
E. Vaile
D. Vince
C. Vore

D. Vore
P. Wachs
B. Walker
B. Warshal
M. Warshal
J. Weaver
P. Weaver

S. Weller
S. Wendell
B. Williams
R. Wilson
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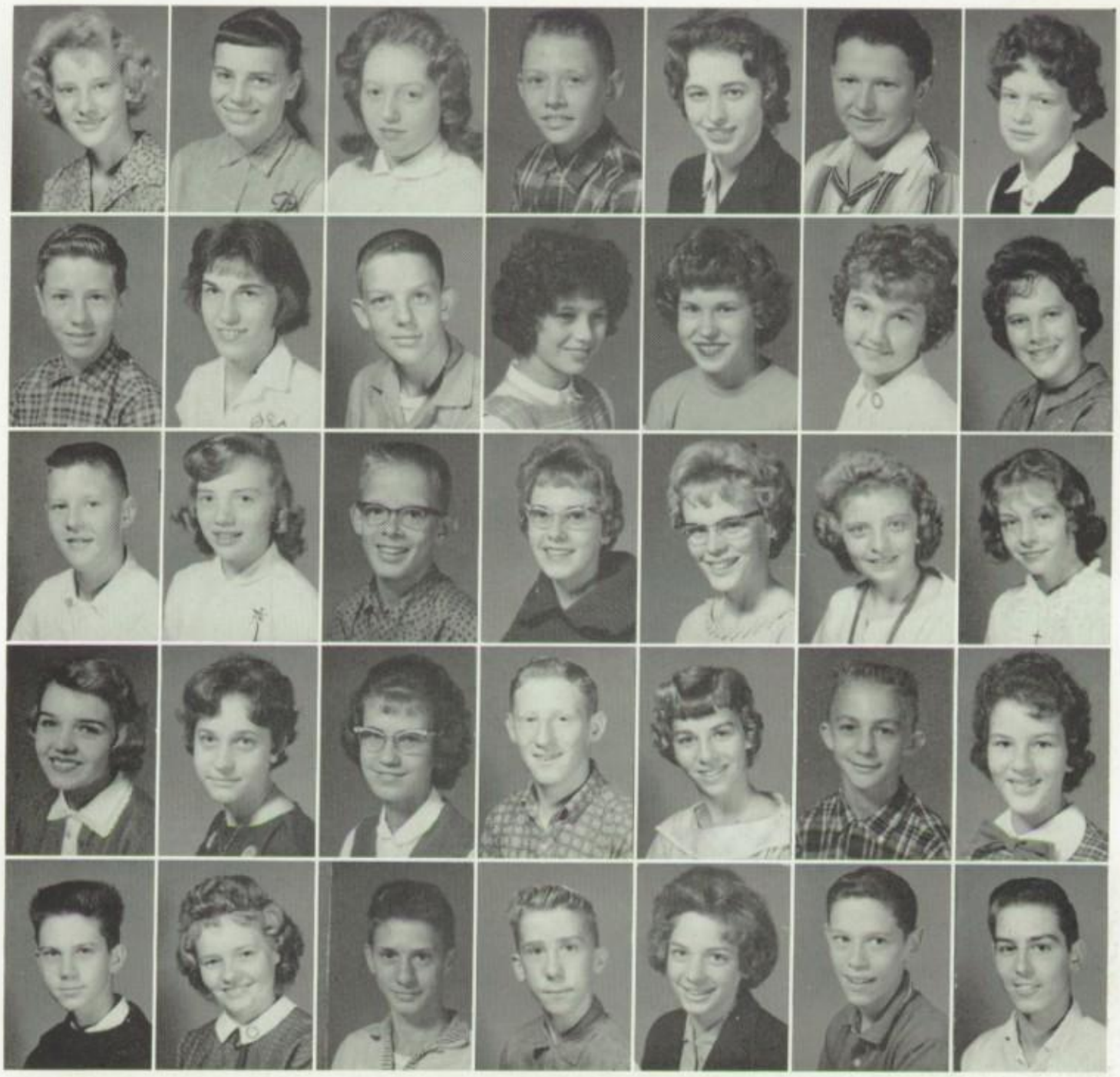

JUNIOR HIGH PORTAL MEMBERS

With the addition of the junior high building, it was necessary to have Portal staff members there to assist publication. Terry Purbaugh and Joan Pataky served in that capacity for the first semester and became regular staff members during the second semester.

Junior High Divides Eighth Graders

The High School life of an eighth grade student is still in a formative stage. This year is a continuation and a broadening of experience sampled in seventh grade. Studies are advanced to prepare the student for his role as a freshman. They are caught in a whirl of social events, which have broadened since their first year in junior high.

The Eighth Grade officers which led the class through this basic year are shown above. Left to right, they are—Kathy Boltz, secretary; Patty Barber, treasurer; Roberta Wukina, vice-president; and Merle Holsinger, president. With two of these officers at each school, the students had ample representation.

Class of '66

R. Allen

S. Allen
M. Alt
J. Anderson
S. Anderson
T. Ankeny
L. Ashman
C. Balogh

G. Balogh
J. Balogh
A. Barber
P. Barber
J. Barefoot
J. Barndt
D. Barrett

A. Barsophy
L. Bassett
M. Beam
G. Berkebile
W. Berkebile
D. Berkey
S. Berkey

H. Berndt
J. Bheam
B. Birkhammer
T. Birtle
D. Blough
K. Boltz
J. Boyer

K. Brandle
P. Burkett
B. Caldwell
D. Cann
V. Castognola
C. Cemo
C. Condron

R. Coyle
C. Cummins
S. Davis
J. DeBarto
L. Dereani
J. Deshong
R. Dravis

J. Durica
C. Dyer
J. Dysert
K. Ellenberger
C. Elvin
T. Emeigh
D. Esposita

M. Fair
J. Feathers
J. Fornwalt
G. Frazier
C. Freeman
G. Freidhoff
T. Fyock

N. Gary
G. Gillette
T. Goughnour
B. Grove
S. Grubb
J. Grugurich
R. Grush

D. Guillairmod
J. Hayes
T. Hettle
D. Hilbrecht
C. Hinton
M. Holsinger
L. Hoover

A. Horne
B. Horner
Cheri Horner
Cindi Horner
M. Hozik
G. Hudson
W. Huston

K. Ickes
R. Jacobs
R. Karalfa
R. Karnosky
D. Karshin
F. Katawczik
R. Kaufman

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B. Varshal
J. Voytko
D. Wachs

C. Walker
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J. Waynik
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R. Willard
G. Wilson

T. Wilson
B. Wingard
J. Witkosky
M. Wolf
M. Wozny
R. Wukina
J. Young

"Does anyone know the date of the . . . ?" says Mr. Wissler hopefully to this eighth grade history class. "Surely someone knows!" Oh, well, don't feel bad, all our days can't go just right. But Mr. Wissler does a fine job making his class an interesting one.
Again this year the eighth grade class had to be separated. The students were at the Junior High School for one semester and at the high school the other one.

LET'S ALL CONCENTRATE!

Although concentration is the object of this study hall at the Junior High School, many find it difficult to do so.

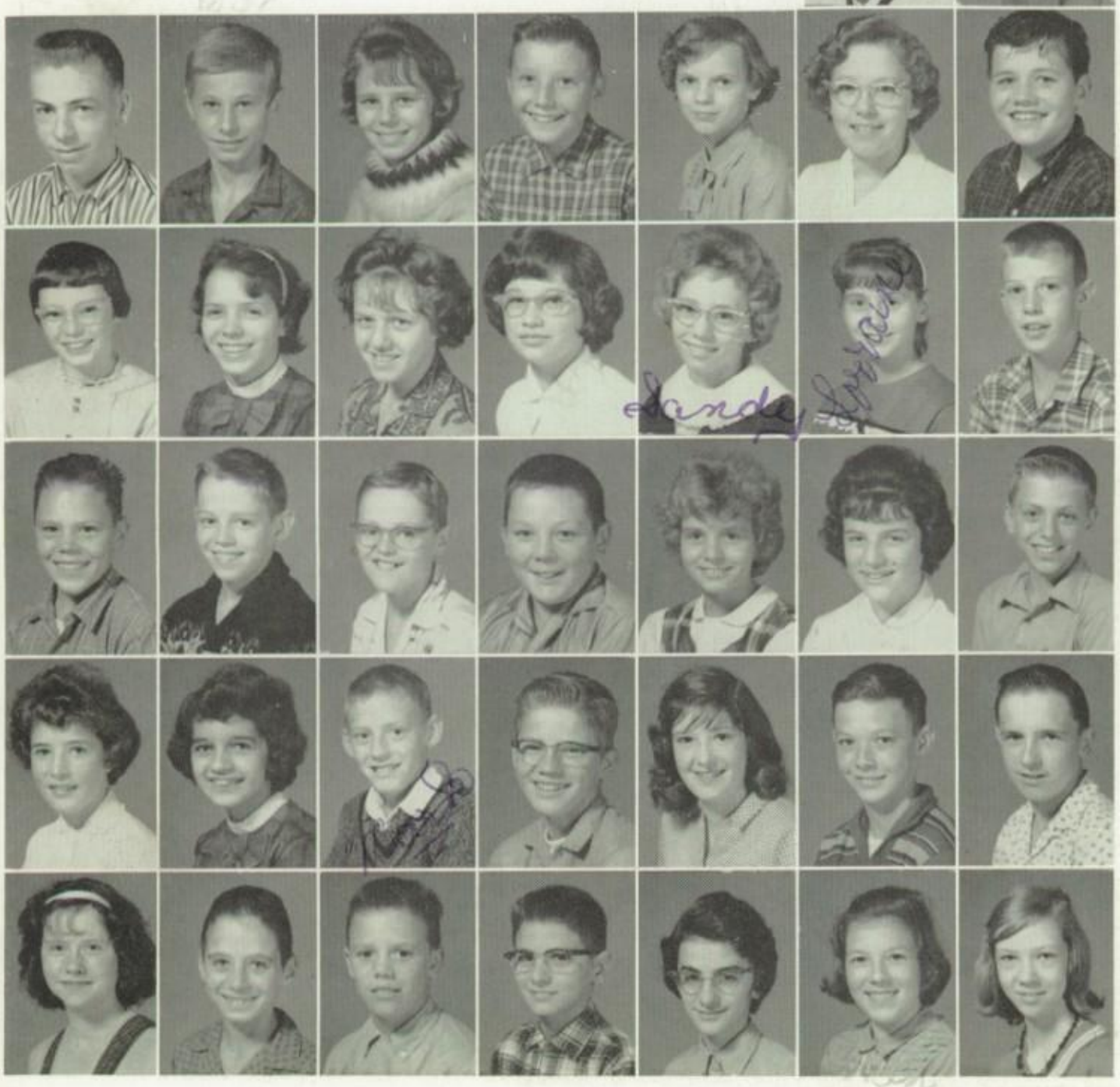
High school life is a totally new experience for the seventh grade student. It is a year of many firsts, which include more involved homework, carrying books, changing classes, obtaining lockers, and eating hot lunches in a cafeteria. New forms of study never experienced in grade school are thrust upon them. These students are introduced to classes in home, economics, shop, and physical education. All these courses are designed to adjust the student to his next five years of study. The seventh grader has but a small part in the whirl of social activities, but a sense of belonging in these fields will grow as his high school life progresses.

Seventh grade class officers, pictured at right, were—Jennifer Doyle, secretary; Janis McCullough, vice-president; Pat Harder, president; and Renee Purbaugh, treasurer.

In a Whirl of Changes

Class of '67

J. Albert
B. Allison



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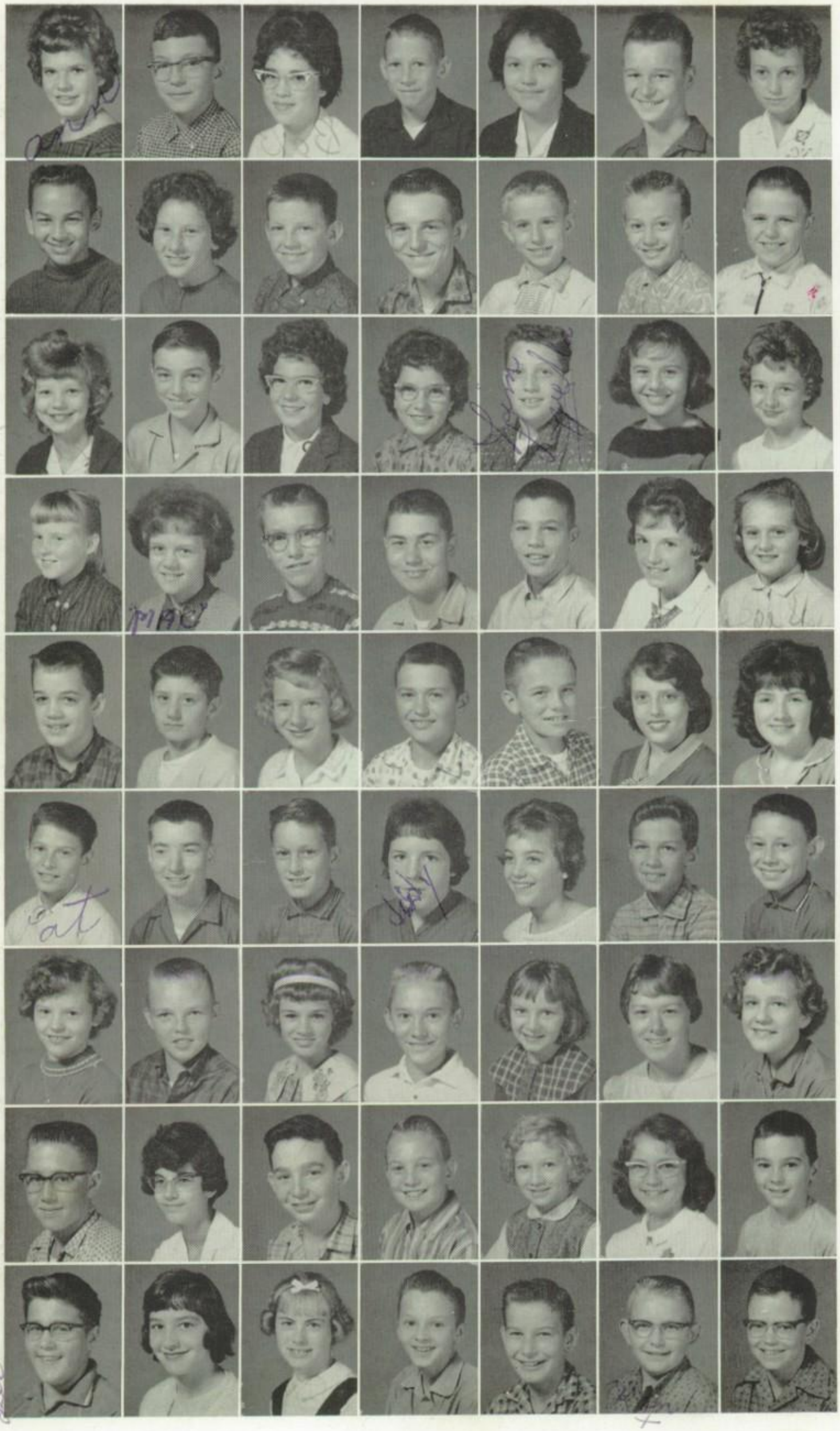

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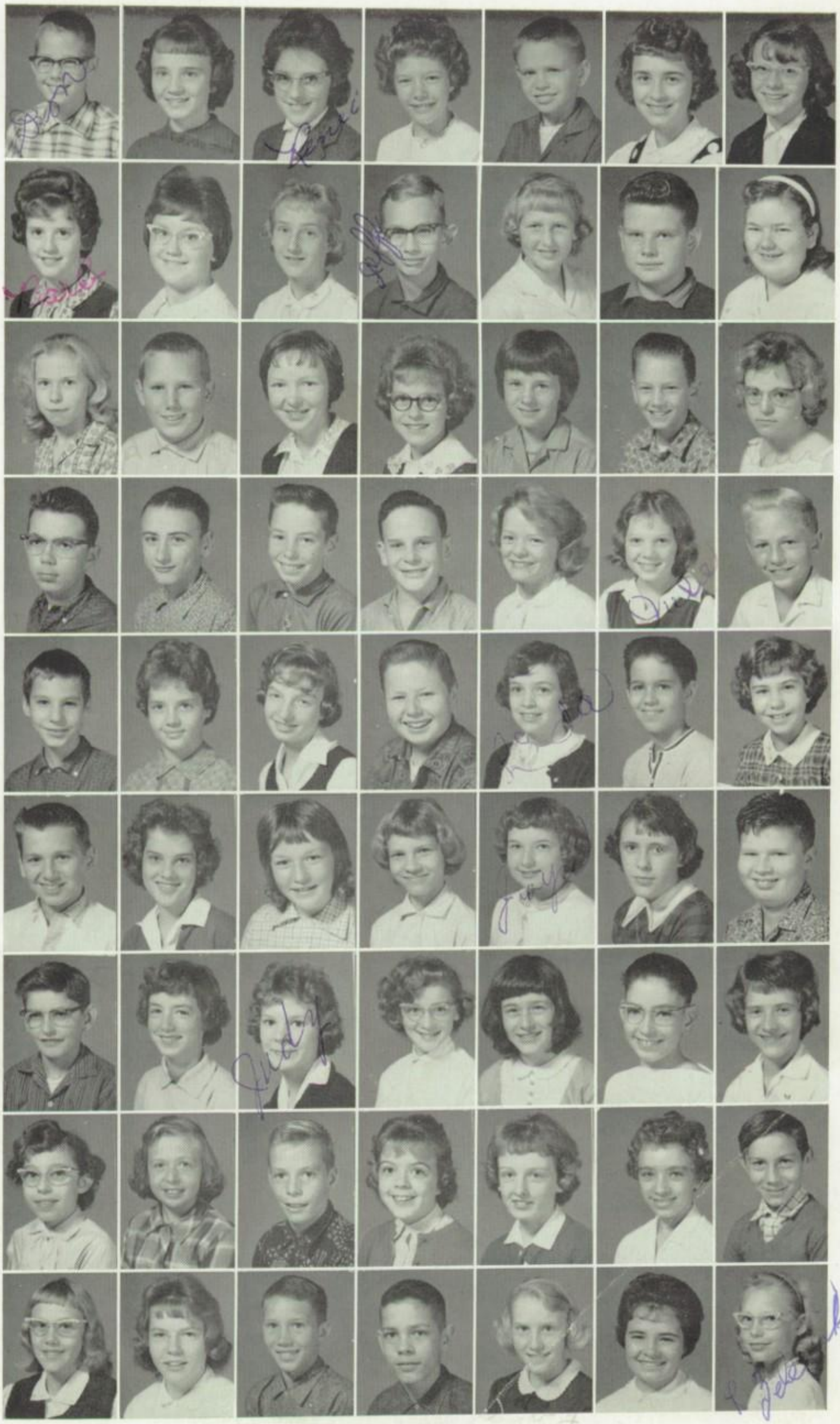


Persons pictured in the photo on the opposite page are—

Tom Friedman
Jim Reed
Judy Harvey
Harry Skiles
Jack Beener

Presenting . . . .

Athletics

To be an athlete is to be one of a team. Since adult living requires the coordination of the activities of many into one action and the cooperation of all who are working on a job into one result, the athlete has had valuable experience that will stand him in good stead. Athletics provide an excellent chance to learn this lesson of teamwork. They provide the opportunity for each boy on the team to discover his worth. They also teach the participants to think quickly and act quickly under pressure. For some, athletics opens the door to college that might otherwise be closed.

Here are the faces of the boys on Richland's teams. In football, basketball, baseball, and track, these young men have represented all of us.

Athletics

Varsity Eleven Has Staunch Support

VARSITY TEAM. **ROW 1**—Wilson, Allen, Koshute, Greenlee, Neff, Friedman, Sholtis, Rodgers, Lape, Hoover. **ROW 2**—Coach McCrae, Herlinger, Berkey, Thatcher, Burman, Boyko, Jardina, Scislow, Bury, Coach Puckey. **ROW 3**—Figard, Barkhimer, Hayes, Sabol, Lazer, Radi, Long, Wonders, Secora. **ROW 4**—Kehl, Trostle, Carney, Fronzoli, Fabish, Slatcoff, Rosenbaum, Vickers, Coach Campitelli, Mundwiler.

Win Six

Rams Have Good Season

The Rams, Richland's mighty eleven, ended a nine game schedule with a record of six wins and three losses.

Using their hard-hitting defense and speedy offense, the team won their first four games. While scoring 95 points and yielding only 25 points to their opponents, the Rams rolled over Ferndale, 25-6; Westmont, 25-6; Portage, 19-6; and Blairsville Joint, 25-6. The Adams game proved a little rougher, and they lost 33-19.

Although the Rams fared better with a win of 27-7 over Franklin, they failed to start a new string of victories as the Bedford team handed our squad a 27-20 set back. We met Conemaugh Township for the first time on the gridiron and notched our sixth win, 12-0.

The final game of the year was played at Windber Stadium against Everett. All parents of the football players, cheerleaders, and managers were honored at the annual parent night. Everett dampened the night by giving the Rams a 21-7 defeat.

Coach McCrae Trains Squads Well

At the end of the 1961 campaign Coach Don McCrae has completed his eighth season as the successful head football coach of the Rams. Realizing the importance of working year round, you can find Coach McCrae busy in his office or on the field.

Varsity Football Season: 6-3

	Opp.	RHS
Ferndale	6	25
Westmont	6	25
Portage	0	12
Blairsville Joint	7	26
Adams-Summerhill	33	19
Franklin	7	25
Bedford	26	20
Conemaugh Twp.	0	12
Everett-Southern	21	7

Varsity Football Managers Rate Applause

Caring for all the minor injuries and keeping the players equipped for battle is the main purpose of the Varsity Football Managers. Under the guidance of Mr. Lee Kipp, the boys were always ready to respond to the coaches and players every need. Although these boys don't receive the cheers and praise from the spectators, they are an important asset to the success of the team.

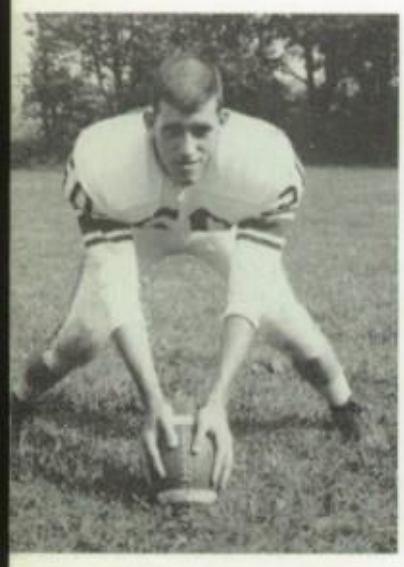
The managers pictured above are, from left to right—Robel, Betz, Michrina, Long, Horne, and Nimo.

Mr. Kipp—Faculty Manager

Although not a highly publicized post, Mr. Lee Kipp's position is very necessary. As faculty manager, Mr. Kipp hands out uniforms, equipment, and first aid supplies. He takes inventory from time to time to make sure that the needs of the team are met. The deepest thanks goes to Mr. Kipp for his untiring service to RHS.

Mr. Heptner—Ticket Salesman

To each of us, buying a ticket to a game is not a hard job if the cost can be met. Behind the scenes, however, there are many details to be taken care of, and Mr. Carl Heptner has done a commendable job in this unpublicized position.



Senior Grid Players

HARRY HERLINGER

Harry strengthened the backfield as a reserve halfback. Small but rugged and determined, Harry's action added greatly to many victories.

JIM HOOVER

Dependable and steady, Jim's services proved invaluable to the Richland Eleven. He saw regular teamwork as a first string left end.

PATRICK DOYLE

Pat was summoned many times this year to supplement the main eleven. Although a reserve end, he paced the gridiron in most of the games.

BOYD NEFF

Co-captain Boyd was a highly valuable first string center and extra point kicker. He was chosen to play this same regular position on the Tribune Democrat All-Scholastic Football Team.

WAYNE BERKEY

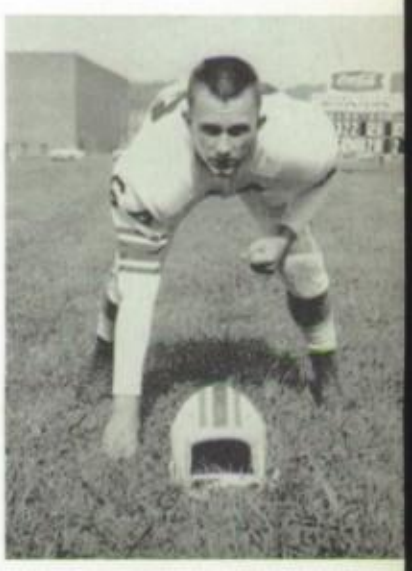
Power personified was typical of Wayne's performances on the field. His fine playing strengthened the guard section of the team.

JAMES BURY

Jim, one of our very few big men, displayed his might when the regular tackle was removed. As is true of any good athlete, sportsmanship never wavered for Jim.

GARY ALLEN

Gary was a frequently called upon guard substitute. Optimism prevailed along with his powerful action and cooperation.



TOM FRIEDMAN

As captain, Tom led the team in spirit and good sportsmanship. He was our running half-back who provided many of the team's points.

DON KOSHUTE

Signals were called by Don this year. His calmness and ability were a valuable asset to the team.

JOHN SHOLTIS

John held up the right end of the line with versatility and agility. Indispensable as an offensive and defensive player.

KERRY WILSON

As one of our dependable substitutes, Kerry played in most of the games and proved his skill when several of our regular linemen were benched temporarily for injuries.

TOM GREENLEE

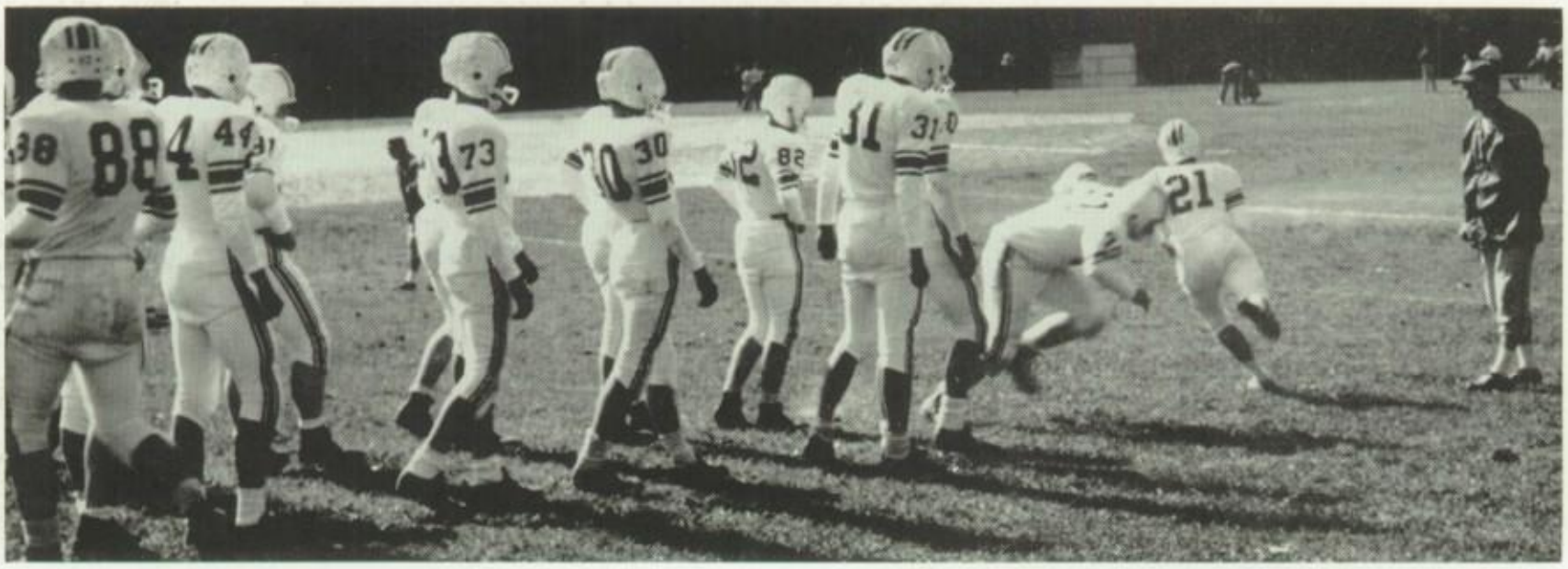
Tom played Richland's hard-hitting right guard. He was a two year letterman and the "biggest" guard of the team.

BILL LAPE

Bill was the first string right tackle. A good defensive player, rough on his opponent.

BOB RODGERS

As number one reserve guard, Bob saw a good bit of action. A ready and willing man striving to help the team to win.



PRETEND HE'S A YELLOW JACKET

COACHES CAPTURED IN SILENCE

Anthem Only Quiet Period of Game

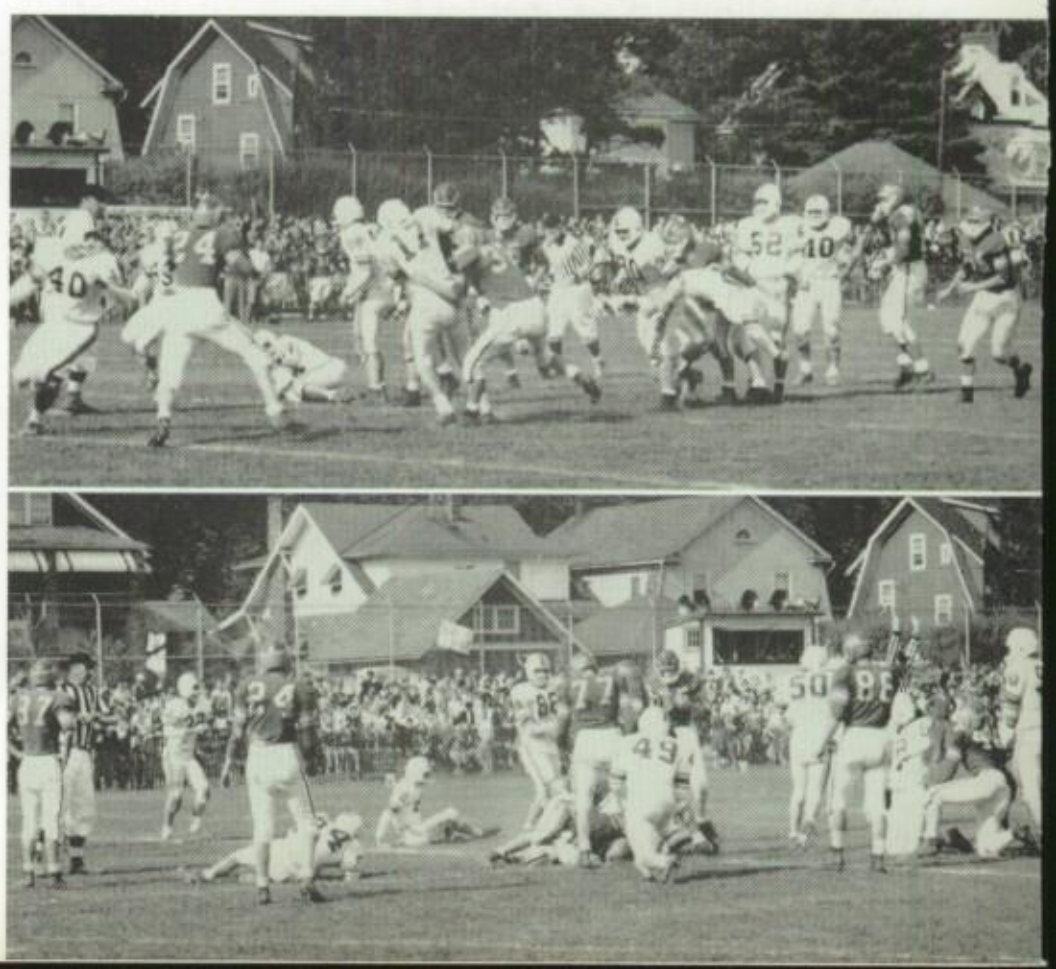
Before each football game begins, the time-honored tradition of playing our National Anthem is kept. Head Football Coach McCrae and his assistant, Coach Puckey, join with players, spectators, cheerleaders and band members in saluting the flag.

DRESS REHEARSAL

Practice is an essential part of every team as each player realized. Coach McCrae drilled his squad diligently in the locker room as well as on the field.

ACTION!

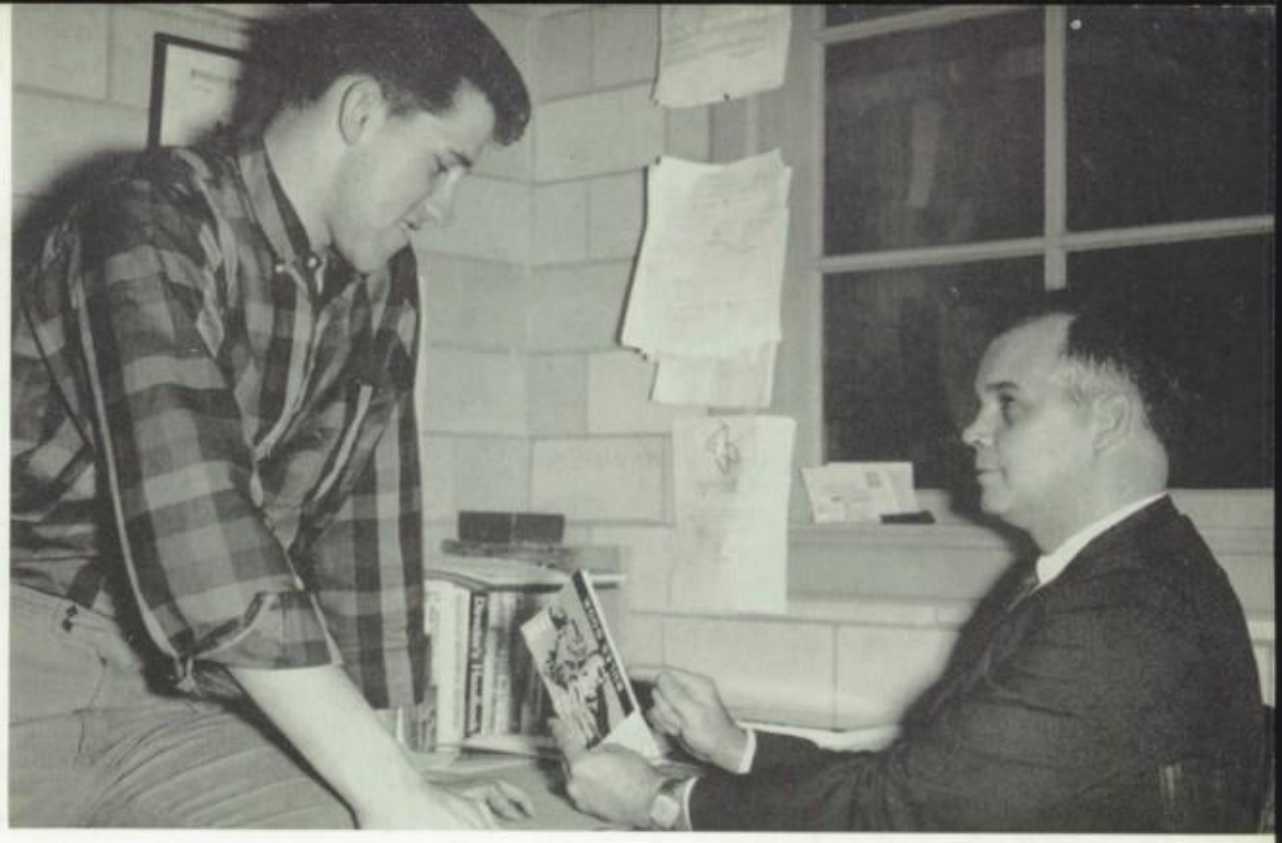
Fans were thrilled as the Rams romped to a 25-6 win over Westmont. Below, in some action shots from our second win of the season, it appears as if the ball carrier is being pulled down near mid-field.



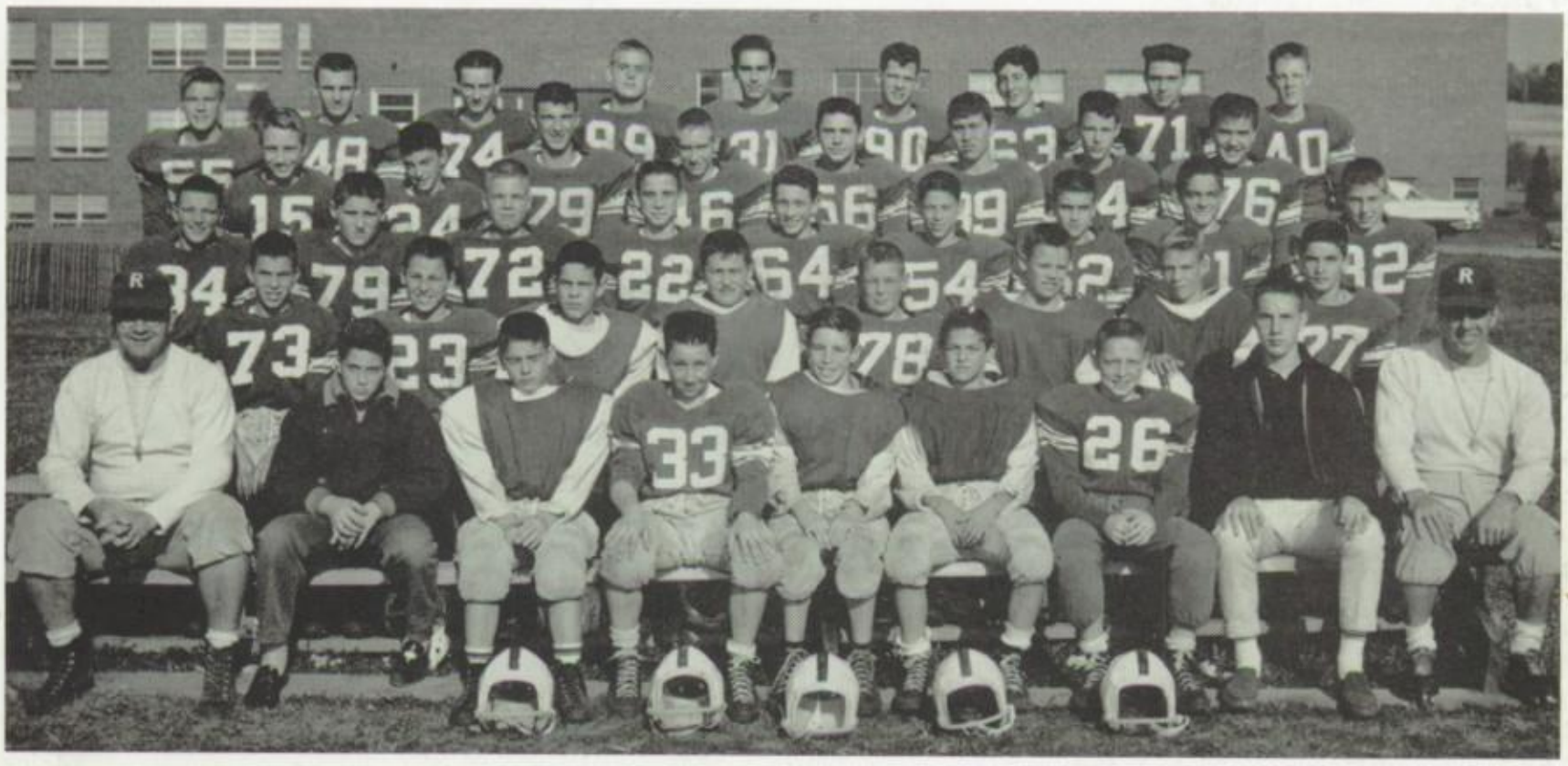
RHS Grid Men Honored

Coach McCrae is shown here with co-captain Boyd Neff who was chosen for the first team center of the **Tribune-Democrat** All Scholastic football team. Boyd was voted over seventeen other players for the position by thirty-four coaches from five of the surrounding counties.

Jim Bury received honorable mention on his tackle play.



Junior High Looking Forward



High hopes are held for the future of Richland's football team. In the next few years they will take the place of varsity-men.

The "Little" Rams had a 4-2 record for the 1961 season. The first game was given to Westmont with a 14-0 score. Adams took the last game with a score of 19-7, but the most outstanding score was the 22-6 win over Shade. The cumulative points totaled sixty-eight.

Contributing to the success of these players were coaches DeMarco and Gulick.

Junior High Season: 4-2

	Opp.	RHS
Westmont	14	0
Conemaugh Township	0	13
Ferndale	6	13
Shade	6	22
Franklin	6	13
Adams	19	7

VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD. **Left to right, standing**—Wolf, Dunbar, Fabish, Skiles, Coach Puckey, Koshute, Knipple, Reed, Faczan. **Kneeling**—Hutzler, Beam, Horner, Decker.

Richland Rams Take Titles

Richland's Fighting Five ended a very successful season with the titles of PIAA Class B District 5 and 6 Champions of which all of us are proud. In spite of a loss to Edgewood, the District 7 Champs, the Ram's racked up an enviable record of 26 wins and 3 losses.

Jim Reed set a new scoring record for any one season, and the Rams also made a new school record by scoring 110 points against Laurel Valley.

Joe Barkhimer and Frank Heming, varsity basketball managers, are shown here in the equipment room. Although their efforts are given little reward, their services are indispensible.

Varsity Basketball Season: 26-3

	Opp.	RHS
*Westmont	44	59
*Ferndale	61	75
Windber	56	57
Windber	44	49
**Nanty-Glo	30	92
***East Conemaugh	56	55
**Franklin	65	73
***East Conemaugh	58	69
**Laurel Valley	27	53
***Adams-Summerhill	39	47
**Johnstown Catholic	50	56
***Portage	41	53
*Ferndale	30	65
***Triangle Area	52	70
**Johnstown Catholic	47	45
***Triangle Area	53	90
***Portage	24	70
***Adams-Summerhill	43	71
**Nanty-Glo	36	78
**Franklin	66	79
**Laurel Valley	36	110
*Westmont	56	76
West Central League Playoff		
Johnstown Catholic	39	46
Windber Rotary Tournament		
Johnstown Catholic	51	63
Westmont	44	50
PIAA Playoffs		
Laura Lamar	55	87
Purchase Line	51	73
Tussey Mountain	51	63
Edgewood	53	45

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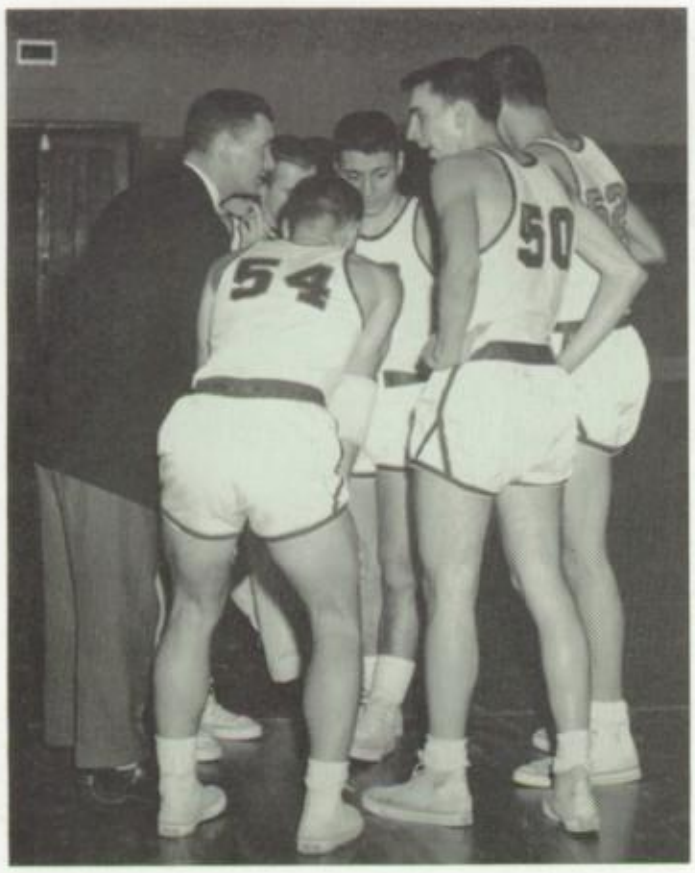


LET'S GET IN THERE AND FIGHT!

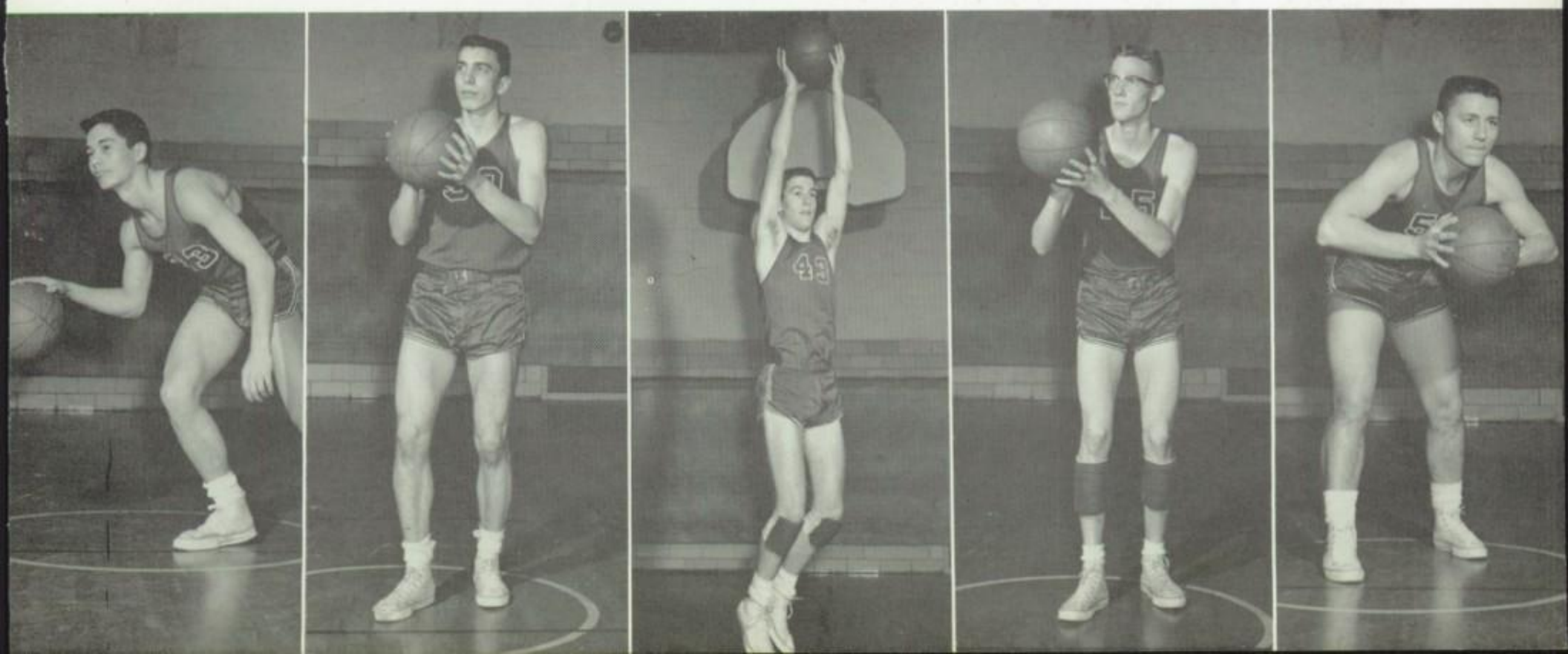
JIM BOUNDS HIGH FOR TAP

"Let's go, Jim, way up!" is the cry from the crowd as co-captain Jim Reed leaps for a jump ball against Ferndale's Tom Cooper in the upper right-hand photo. Jim out-jumped Tom by at least six inches, thus giving the Rams possession of the ball and carrying them on to their seventh consecutive victory, after their only loss to East Conemaugh.

PLAYMAKER CAUGHT IN ACTION

In the lower right-hand photo, Fred Wolf and Ray Faczan are left behind as Harry Skiles drives down court for a basket in the Ferndale game.

SENIOR BASKETBALL PLAYERS. Left to right—Harry Skiles, guard; Jim Reed, forward; Fred Wolf, center; Jim Dunbar, guard; Don Koshute, substitute.



Cheers for Junior Varsity

OUTSTANDING RECORD

Richland's outstanding basketball record was not limited to the Varsity team. Equally as impressive was the Junior Varsity squad. Although the JV's opening game with Westmont ended in defeat by two points, they proceeded to take thirteen victories. This success was put to an end by a bout with Johnstown Catholic which resulted in a loss by only one point. However, the team concluded the year with seven additional wins, for a total of twenty wins and two losses.

This year's Junior Varsity players will be in the Varsity spotlight next year. If this season's action is any indication as to how our varsity team will fare next year, we should have another impressive season.

Junior Varsity Basketball Season: 20-2

	Opp.	RHS
Westmont	34	32
Ferndale	25	54
Windber	42	47
Windber	31	41
Nanty-Glo	15	43
East Conemaugh	34	51
Franklin	29	65
East Conemaugh	31	52
Franklin	29	65
East Conemaugh	31	52
Laurel Valley	16	46
Adams-Summerhill	28	31
Johnstown Catholic	37	50
Portage	32	43
Ferndale	28	49
Triangle Area	38	51
Johnstown Catholic	26	25
Triangle Area	47	54
Portage	19	50
Adams-Summerhill	46	53
Nanty-Glo	17	47
Franklin	29	68
Laurel Valley	11	41
Westmont	44	48

JUNIOR VARSITY TEAM. STANDING—J. Kehl, R. Hutzler, F. Fabish, R. Knipple, J. Smith, T. Beam, Coach Puckey. **KNEELING**—D. Wissinger, C. Horner, B. Decker, T. Hammer.

Pint-Sized Rams Again Acquire Title

KNEELING — Karnosky, McLeary, Coaches DeMarco and Campitelli, Hoffman, Schmidt. **STANDING** — Machtley, Parker, Wingard, Rowland, Faith, Coyle, Bury, Purbaugh.

JR. HIGH PRELIMINARY TEAM. KNEELING—Cornel, Saylor, Lesosky, Albert. **STANDING**—McLaughlin, Katawchik, DeBartola, Hockensmith, Hayes, Marcinko.

Richland's basketball record was impressive all-around this year. Even the youngest group, the Junior High team, had an excellent season. They captured once again the Conemaugh Valley Junior High School title for the second year in succession. This was with little wonder since the team lost only two league games; these were to their opponents, Ferndale and Westmont. Both games were avenged. Only one additional loss, to Johnstown Catholic, was suffered. The team finally ended up with a season of thirteen wins and three losses. Coaches of the Junior High Basketball team were Nick Campitelli and Emil DeMarco.

Junior High Basketball
Season: 13-3

	Opp.	RHS
United Joint	11	21
Ferndale	19	16
Adams-Summerhill	15	27
Westmont	19	30
East Conemaugh	29	43
Johnstown Catholic	26	17
United Joint	17	33
Conemaugh Township	22	25
Ferndale	33	37
Franklin	31	43
Westmont	28	20
Adams-Summerhill	22	36
Conemaugh Township	14	43
Franklin	20	46
Johnstown Catholic	29	41
East Conemaugh	27	34

SEATED—J. Burman, H. Lingenfelter. **KNEELING**—J. Boyko, B. Decker, R. Thatcher, W. Watkins, H. Skiles, N. Michrina. **STANDING**—T. Doubt, Coach Pruchnic, J. Weyand, F. Wolf, A. Gibbs, R. Vore, D. Koshute, J. Adelman.

Baseball Unaffected by Spring Fever

Although their wins totaled less than their losses, the Richland nine made up in spirit and determination for their lack of success on the diamond.

The team got off to a good start by beating Windber, Johnstown Catholic, and Portage, by scores of 5-2, 6-4, and 5-1 respectively. Their drive lessened and Windber defeated the Rams in their second try by eight runs. Conemaugh Township proved to be a stumbling block and our team was defeated in three successive games by scores of 4-1, 5-0, and 2-1. Johnstown Catholic came back for revenge by totaling three runs to our one. Adams completed the season by winning the last game 1-0.

The Rams are hoping that this year's season will be more successful.

Varsity Baseball Season: 3-6

	Opp.	RHS
Windber	2	5
Johnstown Catholic	4	6
Portage	1	5
Windber	9	1
Conemaugh Township	4	1
Conemaugh Township	5	0
Conemaugh Township	2	1
Johnstown Catholic	3	1
Adams	1	0

Succeeding Mr. McCrae, Coach Pruchnic headed the baseball department for the 1961 season. Without assistance, Mr. Pruchnic kept his boys playing hard, even when the outcome looked dim.

MR. ED PRUCHNIC
BASEBALL COACH

HIT THAT AGATE, HARRY

Play Ball . . . !

Two strikes . . . tension mounts. The pitcher winds up and lets the ball fly. "Strike three and you're out!" calls the umpire.

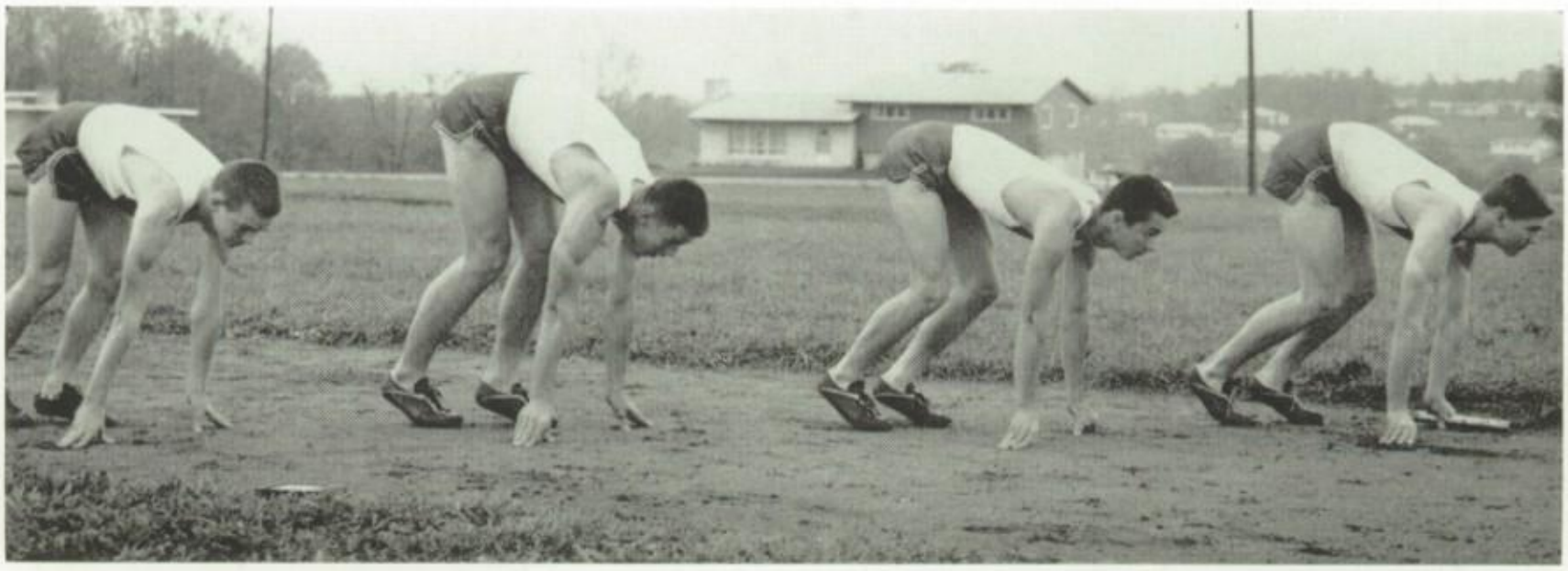
This is baseball.

WHERE'S THE BASE?

Road Runners

Track and Field Stars

ROW 1—Statler, Beam, Thatcher, Boyko, Beener, Doyle, Hammer, Young. **ROW 2**—Milazzo, Samuel, Sholtis, Friedman, Gontkovic, Kehl, Coach DeMarco. **ROW 3**—Bury, Vore, Hoover, Reed, Fabish, Lape.



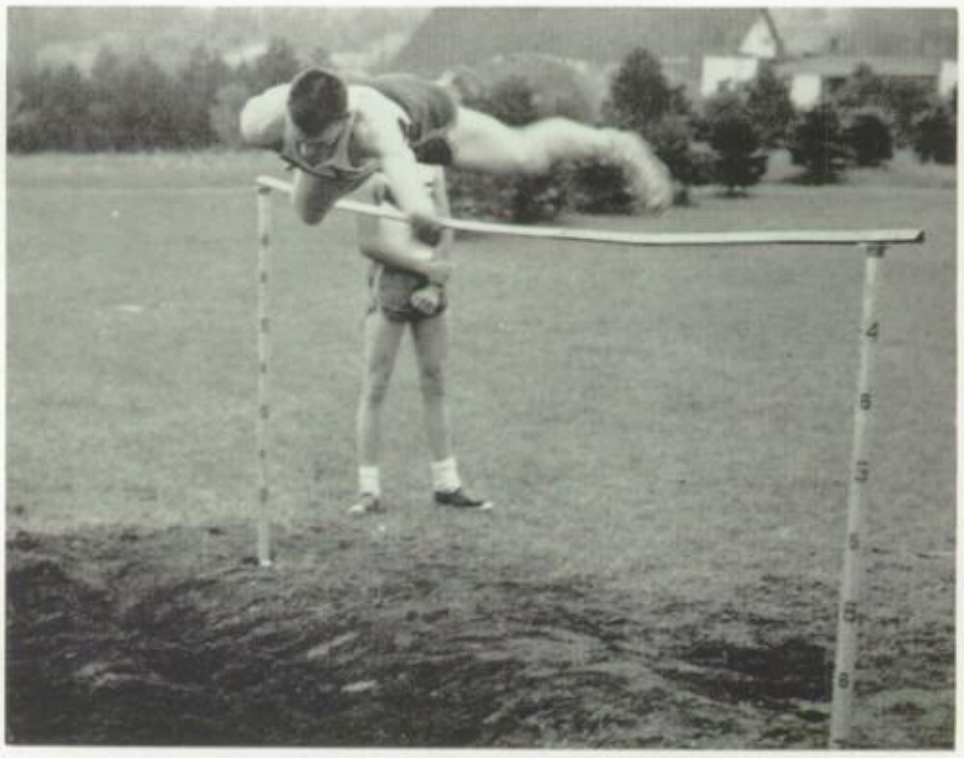
Terry Hammer, Frank Fabish, John Sholtis, and Tom Friedman have returned from a successful 1961 season with high hopes. The four runners are set and planning to rewrite the mile relay for Richland.

Getting Set to Set Records

Although track has often taken a back seat to football and basketball at Richland, it is a favorite sport of our athletes. It develops stamina and good sportsmanship as well as ability in track and field events.

Returning from last year are lettermen Tom Friedman, sprints; Jack Beener, sprints; Terry Hammer, 440; Jim Hoover, javelin; John Sholtis, hurdles; and Jim Reed, high jump. These boys, added to the other track men formed a tough squad for the 1962 season.

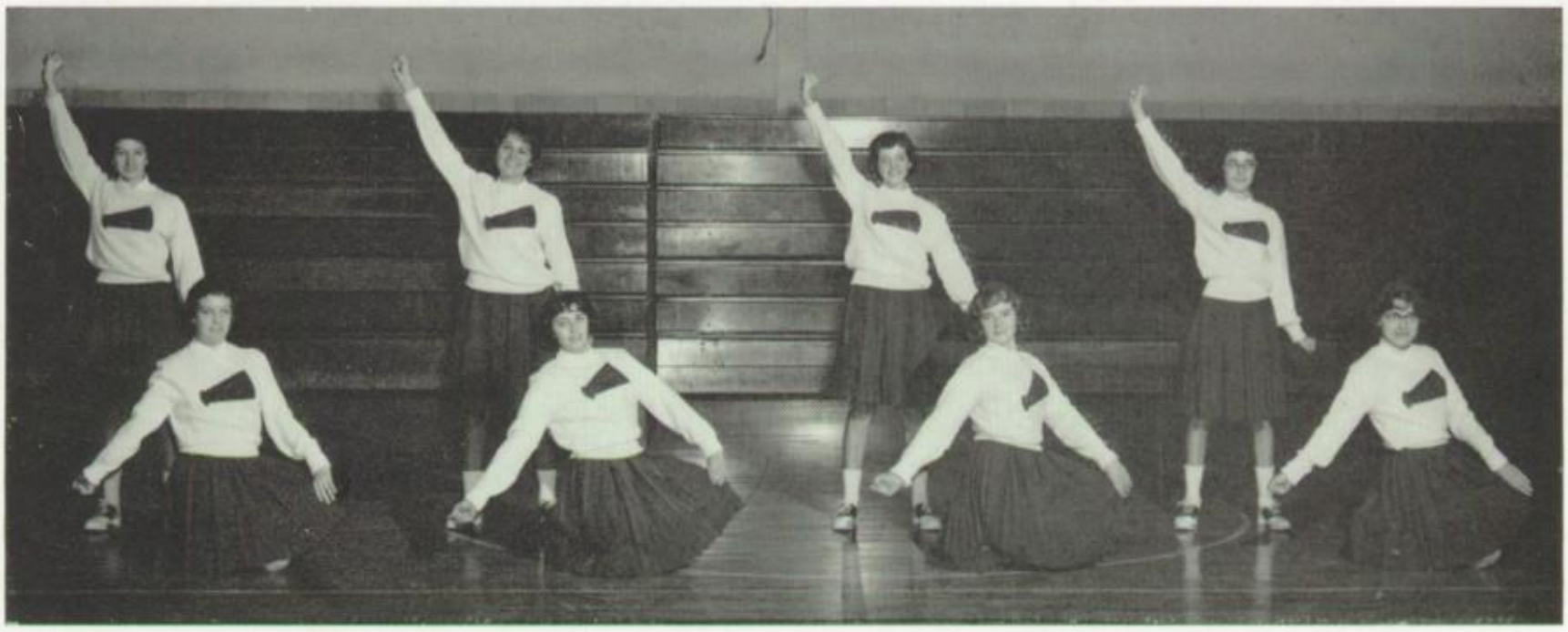
Coach DeMarco provided the boys with their training and determination for the season. He was able to squeeze that last ounce of effort out of each runner and it was this that often meant the difference between success and failure.



Up and over! Tom Beam watches Jim Reed soar over the crossbar. No one really knows what height Jim gained, but other similar jumps are measured throughout the season.

Meet	Points	Place
Catholic	57	1
Mt. Conference Relays	25½	2
United Joint	22	3
United Joint	7⅝	6
Mt. Conference Meet	26½	4
District Six Meet	15½	5
Coaches Meet	19½	7
Junior Pitt Meet	8⅝	7

Jayvees Show Pep And Spirit



The Junior Varsity cheerleaders were ever-ready and willing to back the jayvee teams. Vitaminized with unceasing energy, these girls showed incentive and originality in their cheering ability. Their improvement continued throughout the year. In addition to jayvee football and basketball games, the squad assisted the varsity cheerleaders with bench yells at the contest and at playoff games.

Members of the squad are: (standing) Mary Lesosky, Puttsy Bittner, Karen Klimeck, Pam Gaston; (kneeling) Judy Kuhlman, Joan Kormanik, Billie Gae Campbell, captain, and Mary Lou Swick, co-captain.

Junior High Cheerleaders In "T-Formation"

Behind Richland's little Rams was the Junior High cheering squad, headed by Gaye Petz and Gaye Smith. They acted as captain and co-captain respectively. The experience as a Junior High cheerleader provides a training ground that aids in future years of cheerleading.

This year, the "little squad" became a separate cheering unit with its own adviser, Miss Sally Glessner.

Back line—Linda Crelli, Renee Purbaugh, Diann Roberts, Gaye Petz, Sue Weller, Cozette Bokonyi, Judy Smith. **Center line**—Joan Pataky, Gaye Smith, Linda Thatcher.

Varsity Cheering Force Increased To Ten

C. Swick, S. Krasovic, G. Stuart, B. Roberts, C. Pitera, J. Harvey, N. Yost, K. Green, P. Hornick, J. Hoffman.

These girls need no introduction as Richland's varsity cheerleaders. They were composed of five seniors, four juniors, and one sophomore, and were captained by Bonnie Roberts and Judy Harvey. Two regular substitutes were added to the group's make-up this year, giving additional strength to the squad. Precision movement and perfectly timed techniques have become characteristic of their cheering.

Practice for the peppy ten began with summer vacation and continued throughout the football and basketball months. Under the excellent leadership of Mrs. Oscar Dhority, cheering adviser, the cheerleaders helped to promote good sportsmanship throughout the two seasons.

One of the main events on the cheering calendar was the 18th Annual Cheerleading Contest held at the War Memorial in November. Although the cheerleaders placed fourth and did not receive a trophy for their performance, they provided stern competition for the various participating squads. Richland was represented in the contest with the cheer "Attention".

Their cheering days were highlighted with the rare experience of backing a championship team. Besides performing for regular basketball games, the girls had the privilege of performing in the Windber Rotary Tournament and in several exciting playoff games. These events have formed fond memories that will not be forgotten by these cheerleaders.

THE BUSSES ARE HERE, GIRLS!

After a brief session of adjusting beanies and other last minute details, the varsity cheerleaders leave the gym lobby for their first football game of the season. Both excitement and anxiety fill their thought as they mentally rehearse the victor's march and their marching routine.

As a prelude to the first game, the squad lead Richland's marching band through the streets of Windber to the Windber stadium.

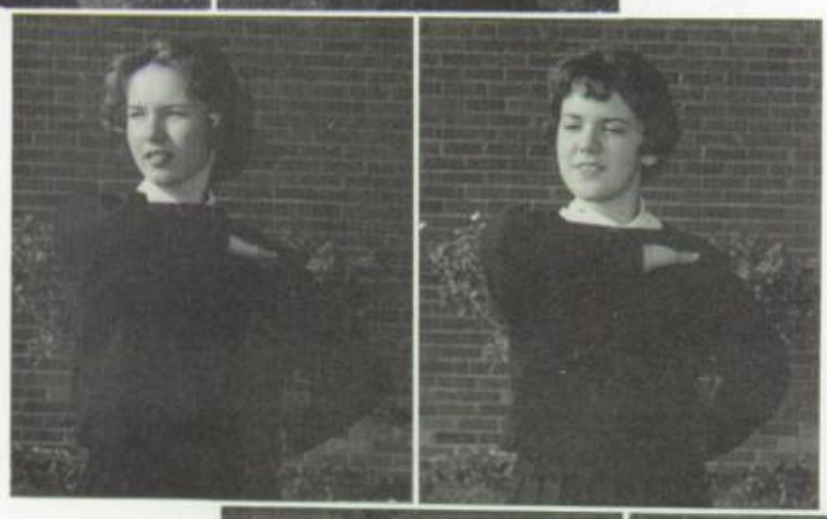
"ATTENTION! VAR–SITY"

Judy Harvey

Bonnie Roberts

Carol Pitera

Carol Swick



Karen Green

Janet Hoffman

Peggy Hornick

Norma Yost

Gail Stuart

Sandy Krasovic

Persons pictured in the photo on the opposite page are—

Linda Burkett
Marjorie Lindsey
John Ambrose
Georgia Hutzler
Helen Schaeffer

Presenting . . . .

Activities

To be a member of an activity is to belong. Every student wants to be part of the school life, not merely one who attends and looks on. The many activities available at school provide an outlet for energies and interest of all kinds. Interested in music? The band, orchestra, ensembles and choruses will give you the opportunity for guided participation in music events. Like a more quiet activity? Join the Chess Club.

Here are formal pictures of the organized clubs and activities at school. Here also are the informal shots of meetings and events. If you belong to a group or club, your picture is here. If you don't, hunt for yourself in one of the informals.

Activities

Portal's Volume 17 Prepared

Business staff

Lynda Zarisky, Marilyn Blough, Betty Hostetler, business managers Pauline Lesosky and Susie Kuhn.

Editorial staff

ROW 1—Georgia Hutzler, Jeanne Kostro, Sandy Riffle, Irene Stull.
ROW 2—Helen Schaeffer, Irene Roseman, Larry Horne, Nancy Barnes.

Photography staff

Tim Yost, Ken Kunkle, Larry Horne (photo editor), Karen Green, Rose Burns, and Linda Bell.

Sports staff

Gail Stuart, Norma Yost, Carol Pitera (sports co-editor), John Sholtis, Tom Doubt (co-editor), and Denny Betz.

Progressive changes made

Three main alterations occurred in the 1962 yearbook staff. The advisership was taken over by Mr. William MaQuilken, and the members were divided into four distinct staffs. Lastly, three seniors were chosen as tri-editors in lieu of the customary co-editors. They are Carol Swick, D. Grow, and John Ambrose, first, fifth, and sixth respectively in the picture. Other executives shown are Mary Lou Swick, associate editor; William MaQuilken, adviser; and Jim Bury, art editor.

ENTHUSIASM SHOWN BY EDITORS, STAFF MEMBERS

Consisting of 23 seniors, 5 juniors, and 1 sophomore, the yearbook staff began work early last fall. Assignments were made and committees were appointed by the editors. Layout arrangement then began. Several executive changes resulted as the Portal's preparation progressed.

Student photography was used in several sections of the book. Larry Horne, photography editor, did a commendable job on the varsity football individuals, a number of informal photos, and the faculty pictures.

The patron drive and subscription sales were well under way by the Christmas holidays. Next came the "dreaded" task of write-ups, which included captions, headlines, proof-reading, and editing. Work was done at a steady pace, but distribution time was still doubtful at the beginning of Spring.

Editors' note: Sorry if we're late!

Editors-In-Charge

Mr. Michael Hozik, adviser of the "Echo", was assisted by staff members who served as page editors. Geraldine Block, editor-in-chief, formed the nucleus of the paper which came out weekly. **Editors shown here, left to right, are:** Georgia Hutzler, D. Grow, Helen Schaeffer, Charles Gontkovic, Mr. Hozik, John Ambrose, and Geraldine Block.

Project of Journalism Students

A Successful Year for "Echo"

"Echo", Richland's official newspaper, was faithfully supported by the students during the year. This year "Echo" was sold on a subscription basis and subscribers received their paper every Thursday.

As staff members worked to meet deadlines for the weekly edition, Mr. Hozik and his editors began preparation for the next edition. Although some obstacles occurred and everything did not run smoothly, "Echo" did manage to supply students regularly with news, sports, editorials, and features.

"Echo" reporters did an excellent job of finding news and reporting it to the paper. While most of them are regular Journalism students, several have served on a voluntary basis.

ECHO REPORTERS

ROW 1—R. Huebner, L. Horne, C. Shumaker, B. Decker, C. Horner. **ROW 2**—T. Kleban, R. Vince, C. Phillips, M. Dolan. **ROW 3**—A. Swaltek, J. Wright, R. Stafford, M. Lindsey.

THAT RIGHT HAND MARGIN IS MURDER!

Typists Perform Vital Service

Reaching a deadline is not always fun, but you can depend on the "Echo" typists to come through with a neat, attractive paper.

Typists shown here, left to right, are: (standing) J. Allen, A. Barndt, S. Hostetler, F. Daugherty, **(sitting)** N. Hynicka, L. Thompson, D. Babal, S. Varner.

Officers Are Keystone Of Honor Society

Elected by fellow members of the Paragon Chapter of the National Honor Society, the officers led this group in its activities. They are: Joanne Diamond, president; Helen Schaeffer, secretary; John Ambrose, treasurer; and James Phillips, vice-president.

Induction of eligible honor students from the junior and senior classes was the primary event of the honor society. Its main social affair was the annual banquet for present and former members. These members included students from 1952, the year in which the society was organized at Richland, to 1962. Invited also was the Faculty Council. (This is a council comprised of teachers and administrators who choose prospective members and settle any matter concerning grades and character of those up for induction.) The dinner this year was held on April 21 at Ripples' Inn.

Career night, introduced to our student body last year, was once again set up by this organization. Speakers from various professions addressed interested RHS students on May 10, the evening chosen for the event.

A tutoring service was also made available to any student wanting aid in a particular subject. Miss Sue Green, NHS adviser, appointed members to tutor when the need arose. In this manner, society members set forth their qualities as honor students.

INDUCTION CEREMONY FEBRUARY 16

1961-62 MEMBERS

SITTING—J. Ambrose, J. Diamond, Mr. N. J. Smith, Miss S. E. Green (adviser), J. Phillips, H. Schaeffer. **STANDING**—G. Block, J. Bury, J. Reed, N. Barnes, B. Roberts.

1962 INDUCTEES

SITTING—M. L. Swick, L. Zarisky, J. Kostro, S. Gilbert, B. Komisar. **STANDING**—N. Michrina, C. Gontkovic, T. Hunt, T. Beam, L. Langerholc.

NHS President Speaks On Theme . . . "Stairway To Success"

As a segment of the National Honor Society induction, Joanne Diamond, president, spoke to RHS students and faculty on the importance of a successful life. "Stairway To Success" was the theme chosen for the ceremony. The event was held as part of the school day on Friday, February 16. Susan Pritts, junior, chanted "The Lord's Prayer", accompanied on the organ by Carol Witzer, sophomore.

During the ceremony, individual members presented a brief understanding of the qualities service, leadership, scholarship, and character. These traits are the basis for selecting students and inducting them into the society.

Before February the sixteenth, no one, excluding the Faculty Council and Miss Green, was informed of their induction; the names were concealed to everyone until this date. The impressive event was followed by congratulatory exchanges between old and new members. The inductees were given cards of membership and, later, honor society pins to acknowledge their achievement.

Left to right: Nancy Barnes, chaplain; Carol Swick, secretary; Harry Skiles, vice-president; Bonnie Roberts, president; Pauline Lesosky, parliamentarian; Charlie Gontkovic, treasurer; and Betty Hostetler, assistant chaplain.

Officers Plan Ahead

For a smoothly run meeting the officers of the Student Council prepare an agenda for the president to follow. Their specific jobs were setting up permanent committees for the year, checking grades of members, and supervising all council projects. At the left they enjoy a brief officers' session in the library.

Student Council Enlarges Membership

Just as our government needs senators and congressmen to operate a democratic and efficient country so does a school system need representatives to mediate between the administration and the student body. These students compose the Student Council.

Last year the council's constitution concerning membership was revised and was initiated this fall. Each homeroom elected a representative to the council and an alternate to take the place of the regular member in his absence. This system resulted in a much larger membership and a better distribution of duties within the organization.

Projects undertaken by the student government were: two dances, coat-checking at home basketball games, and the annual distribution of Thanksgiving baskets given to various families in the district. Buying records for use during the lunch periods was carried out and selling pencils and tablets was done as before. A new program of selling ice cream at lunch time was suggested and successfully performed during the last several months of school.

The Student Council also worked on suggestions from both students and teachers to smooth rough details in the school's activity. Several were approved by the office and put into effect this year. Miss Lois Kindelberger served as head of the group.

Regular Members

Left to right: **ROW 1**—T. Yost, L. McLeary, C. Swick, D. Roberts, P. Hornick, L. Shaffer, B. Varshal, R. Ripple, Miss Kindelberger, adviser. **ROW 2**—C. George, P. Gaston, J. Kostro, L. Bell, B. Roberts, L. Zarisky, P. Schobel, N. Erb. **ROW 3**—B. Hostetler, S. Yarnick, E. Wilkinson, H. Skiles, B. Bury, B. Decker, B. Bender, N. Barnes. **ROW 4**—C. Gontkovic, J. Blue, B. Wingard, J. Bury, F. Fabish, J. Reed, R. Knipple, T. Hunt, P. Lesosky.

Alternates

ROW 1—C. Coco, J. Kohut, M. Lehman, L. Thatcher, G. Petz, N. Yost, A. Watkins, J. Churchey. **ROW 2**—J. Gallagher, K. Machtley, L. Friedman, L. McMillan, J. Jardina, C. Pitera. **ROW 3**—B. Watkins, R. Weyant, B. Jones, F. Wolf, J. Kehl, T. Friedman, C. Horner.

First To Serve

A new organization, the Junior High Student Council, was formed to provide representation in the high school council. The students at the left were privileged to serve as the first officers of the group. **They are:** Jim Parker, treasurer; Cozette Bokonyi, vice-president; Terry Purbaugh, president; and Mary Lou Milazzo, secretary.

When the members returned to the high school after the first semester, they were automatically in the main council. Those leaving for the Junior High thus became the Junior High representatives. This was another main alteration in RHS's Student Council system. Under the supervision of Mr. Nick Campitelli the club carried on meetings under the same constitution as the senior Student Council.

Junior High Student Council

ROW 1—R. Saylor, D. Horne, S. Rusnak, J. Smith, R. Bosworth, M. Ivancic, P. Marcinko. **ROW 2**—R. Machtley, L. Gennett, J. Parker, C. Bokonyi, T. Purbaugh, M. L. Milazzo, B. Morbit, P. Salem, C. Taormina, R. Purbaugh. **ROW 3**—L. MacGregor, B. Warshel, D. Blough, M. Hancock, S. Weller, R. Brandle, J. DiBartola, D. Lehman, D. Byroade, E. Misosky, C. Cannone, and Mr. Campitelli.

A Busy Group

Much planning is done by the F. T. A. officers to provide an interesting and educational agenda for the club members during meetings.

Serving in this capacity were: Harry Herlinger, treasurer; Jeanne Kostro, secretary; Don Koshute, president; and Carol Swick, secretary.

TO BE OR NOT TO BE A TEACHER

Classroom Experience Gained by Future Teachers

Observing and teaching in the elementary and secondary grades were the high points of the Club's activities. Under the sponsorship of Miss Sue Green, the Future Teachers of America also enjoyed several other affairs. In the fall, they had the privilege of attending a meeting and a college football game at the University of Pittsburgh. Members of the group were able to participate in three conventions. Don Koshute and Peggy Hornick represented Richland at the state convention. A number of the members were present at the district-regional convention held at Laura Lamar High School in Camp Hill and at the county convention at Conemaugh Twp.

Club meetings were held monthly, with a different program scheduled for each agenda. They were mainly centered around various speakers and topics, panel discussions, and movies concerning the teaching profession. Two social gatherings were planned; one was a Christmas party within the club. The other was entertaining a guest F. T. A. group but could not be carried out. In short, the future teachers shared active and well-planned club activity.

ROW 1—C. Swick, P. Hornick, S. Sell, L. Burkett, Miss Green (adviser). **ROW 2**—S. Kuhn, J. Kostro, B. Hostetler, B. Rummel, L. DeBiase. **ROW 3**—B. Lane, G. Hutzler, D. Grow, H. Herlinger, S. Schobel, L. Pahel. **ROW 4**—B. Kenny, L. McMillan, K. Wilson, P. Lesosky, J. Boyko. **ROW 5**—D. Koshute, J. Cannin, F. Wolf, T. Hunt.

"The Meeting Will Now Come To Order"

A newly formed club at R.H.S. is the U.N. Club under the supervision of Miss S. Elizabeth Green. The main purpose of this group is to make plans for and participate in the Student United Nations Session held in Pittsburgh. The officers pictured in the first row are: Jim Bury, president; Charlie Gontkovic, vice-president; Wayne Statler, treasurer; Betty Hostetler, assistant secretary; and Jeanne Kostro, secretary.

Other U.N. Club members are: **ROW 2**—J. Hoffman, N. Yost, J. Blough, L. DeBiase, and J. Kormanik. **ROW 3**—D. Grow, L. Grubb, and W. Tressler.

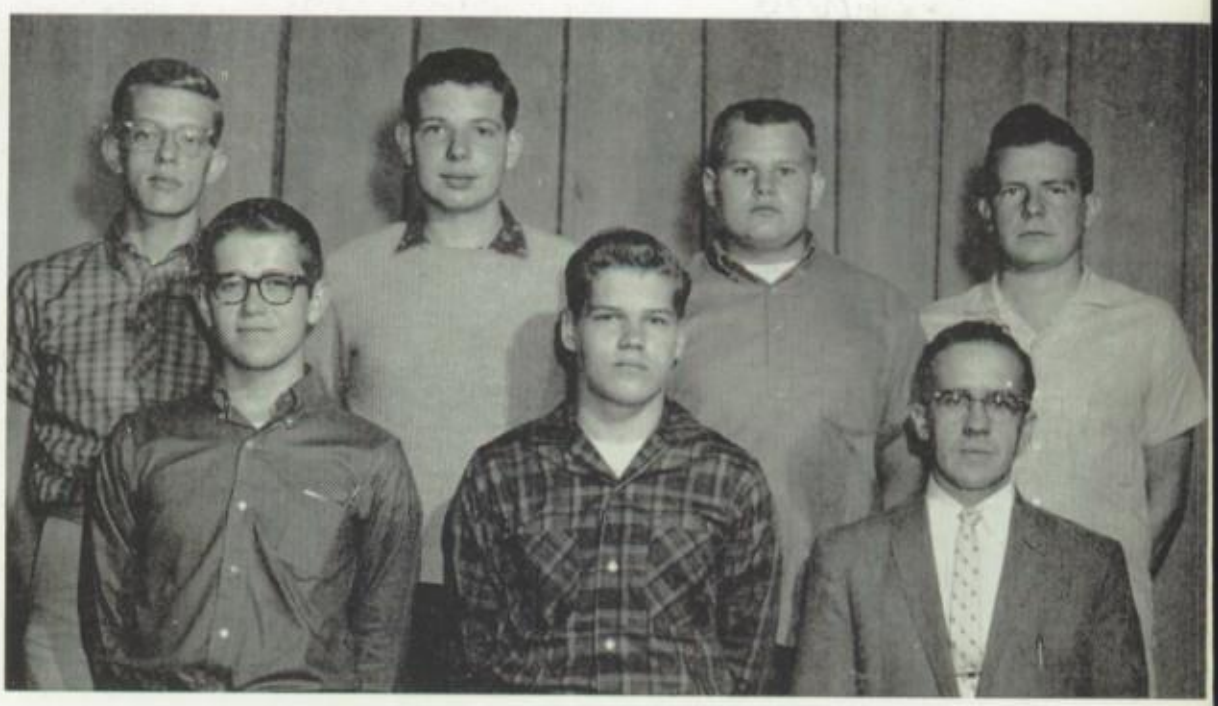
Our Future Scientists

Ron Grush, Larry Horne, and Jim Bury seem to be intent on carrying out this experiment. They served as president, secretary-treasurer, and vice-president respectively of the Jets Cub for 1962.

Accomplishments In Rocketry

Functioning in its second year, the R.H.S. Jets Club (Junior Engineers Technical Scciety) attempted to launch a number of rockets. Two were successfully set off, and one of these obtained an altitude of 150 feet, a club record.

Participating in the Jets activities provides a broadening of scientific minds and a good beginning towards a useful career. Under the advisership of Wayne E. Lehman, the group planned to make a field trip to the Glidden Paint Co. in Johnstown in the spring.



Jets: **ROW 1**—W. Statler, R. Grush, Mr. Lehman, adviser. **ROW 2**—L. Horne, R. Stump, J. Bury, J. Ambrose.

PEP In Action

Sr. High Members

P. Aird
V. Albert
R. Ashbrook
C. Bafile
L. Bell
S. Bell
S. Bender
P. Berish
P. Bittner
G. Blough
J. Blough
L. Blough
M. Blough
J. Boothman
D. Bowers
L. Boyer
S. Brant
J. Burns
S. Caddy
B. Campbell
S. Chaplain
E. Chudik
L. Clemenceau
J. Coco
A. Curry
B. Davies
D. DeBartola
L. DeBiase
J. Diamond
N. Doubt
L. Dravis
L. Ellsworth
N. Erb
D. Fair
J. Fluke
D. Frasher
L. Friedman
C. Furniss
J. Gallagher
P. Gaston
D. Gembinski
C. George
S. Gilbert
E. Gindlesperger
P. Gindlesperger
K. Green
S. Green
J. Harvey
S. Havener
K. Hershberger
S. Hershberger
L. Hetrick
B. Hillman
C. Hlavey
J. Hoffman
N. Horner
P. Hornick
B. Hostetler
C. Irons
L. Jeschonek
A. Kenny
C. Killen
C. Kiser
Karen Klimeck
Kathy Klimeck
J. Knapp
C. Konoski
J. Kormanik
J. Kostro
P. Kovach
S. Krasovic
J. Kuhlman
S. Kuhn
C. Kuzmiak
P. Kush
G. Lambert
A. Langerholc
M. Lesosky
P. Lesosky
J. Loushe
C. Marsh
L. McMillan
J. Mihalko
C. Miller
C. Nitch
L. Pahel
C. Pitera
J. Prazich
E. Reed
S. Riffle
B. Roberts
E. Rodkey
H. Schaeffer
S. Schobel
L. Seese
J. Shaffer
P. Shaffer
S. Shaffer
S. Sell
P. Sidor
K. Singer
C. Sipko
P. Slagle
T. Smith
C. Stoner
G. Stuart
C. Stublar
I. Stull
C. Swick
M. Swick
J. Thirkell
J. Weller
D. Wingard
M. Wingard
N. Wolf
C. Wyant
N. Yost
L. Zarisky
B. Zedlar

Jr. High Members

S. Anderson
Sharon Armstrong
Sherry Armstrong
L. Ashman
M. Babel
P. Barber
J. Barefoot
L. Barnhart
B. Barto
L. Bassett
A. Beegle
S. Bell
L. Berkebile
D. Blough
P. Blough
C. Bokonyi
D. Boysza
C. Grumbaugh
P. Caldwell
C. Cemo
B. Chaplain
L. Crelli
C. Cummings
D. Cunningham
N. Daugherty
K. Davis
J. Deshong
E. Doyka
I. Dravis
G. Drosky
J. Dysert
S. Erb
M. Fair
J. Fallon
B. Finch
K. Frederick
S. Frederick
D. Gaston
P. Gilbert
S. Goldie
P. Gray
R. Gregorchik
S. Grubb
P. Harder
E. Harvey
M. Heidorn
D. Hershiser
D. Hilbrecht
D. Himes
N. Hoffman

Pep Club Two Units

Increased enrollment demanded an alteration in the Pep Club system. It was therefore divided into two separate functioning organizations. They are now the Senior High and the Junior High Pep Clubs. Each group elected its own set of officers.

The Senior High Pep Club officers are (right): Connie Bafile and Julie Prazich, awards chairmen; Nancy Wolf, pep committee chairman; Pauline Lesosky, president; Lynda McMillan, treasurer; Mary Lou Swick, secretary; and Joan Kormanik, vice-president. These girls did a fine job of organizing members for games, playoffs, the cheering contest, and their dances. Adviser of the senior high club was Mrs. Dhority.

C. Horner
S. Howard
G. Hudson
D. Jessell
B. Karalfa
C. Katawczik
A. Kawchak
S. Kettler
D. Killen

L. Kirschman
B. Kuhn
G. Langham
M. Lehman
D. Lehman
L. Leventry
B. Logar
P. Mainhart
S. Mainhart

A. Marshel
P. Marunick
R. McCombie
D. McDowell
L. McGregor
S. Meek
M. Milazzo
B. Miller
L. Miller

E. Misosky
B. Morbit
J. Mrsnik
B. Mundwieler
D. Murphy
B. Naugle
J. Naugle
J. Pataky
J. Petrarca

System Works Well

The Jr. High Pep Club officers, working on their own, lent much support to the senior club's activities. Miss Glessner acted as their adviser. Officers, at left, are: Pataky, president; Weller, vice-president; Bokonyi, secretary; Sedlmeyer, treasurer; (back row) Kirschman and Petz, pep chairmen; Vince and Morbit, awards chairmen.

G. Petz
B. Pfile
C. Phillips
J. Padratsky
R. Purbaugh
C. Puto
J. Ream
L. Ream
N. Rively
D. Roberts
R. Rosage
P. Salem
K. Samuel
L. Sanderson
P. Sankovich
N. Schaffner
D. Scislow

J. Searle
J. Sedlmeyer
K. Sedlmeyer
B. Shaffer
L. Sharpe
B. Sheftic
D. Senchisen
S. Smay
B. Shaw
G. Smith
J. Smith
Andrea Soika
Annette Soika
L. Stansick
A. Stelmack
S. Stull
L. Thatcher
B. Thompson

S. Tucker
D. Vince
C. Vore
B. Warshel
Joyce Weaver
Judy Weaver
B. Weber
C. Weisert
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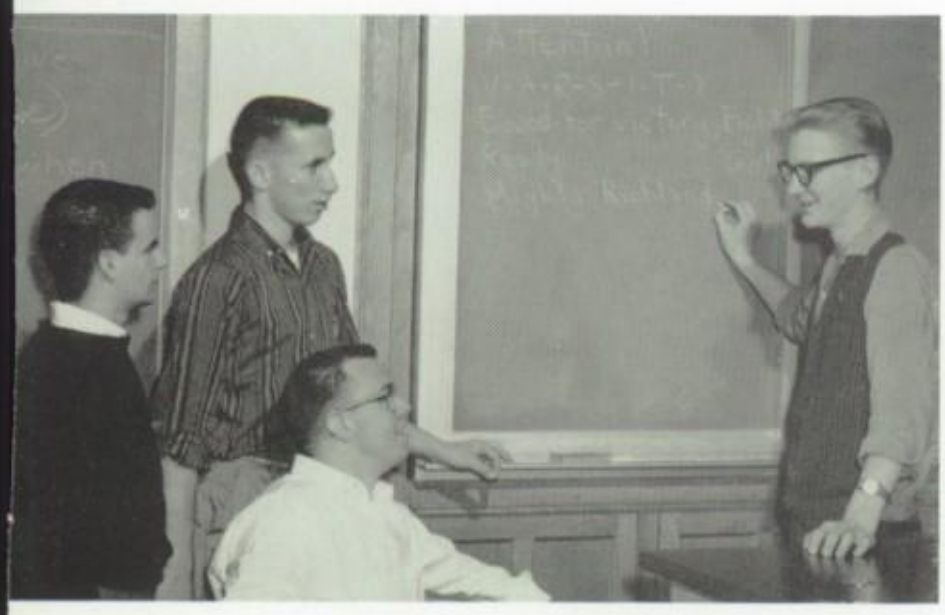


RAM THE FOE??

Ramsmen Officers Prepare for Contest

Richland's unique organization, the Ramsmen, readily offered their masculine voices for the annual Cheerleading Contest. At left, officers decide to learn the cheer "Attention" to teach to their fellow members. The club's "big four" were: Tom Kleban, vice-president; Pat Doyle, treasurer; Barry Bender, president; and Charles Gontkovic, secretary.

The Ramsmen, although they were not aware of it, were a welcome and helpful addition to the school's extra-curricular events.

"Rowdies" Play Ball

The Ramsmen proved to be a worthwhile club for boys who like to let off steam. Better known as the "Rowdies" to most RHS students, these boys cheered along with the pep clubs and cheerleaders and yelled noticeably on their own at many games.

The club also took an active interest in the sport of basketball. Under sponsorship of Mr. Thomas Sigmund, teams were selected, and games were played Monday nights at the Geistown elementary school. Due to their activeness, many of our Ramsmen were absent when the group picture was taken.

ROW 1—Kleban, Michrina, Boyko, Burman, Burnt, Mr. Sigmund (adviser). **ROW 2**—Naugle, Bender, Robel, McCloud. **ROW 3**—Gontkovic, Huebner, Nimmo, Sidola, Statler. **ROW 4**—Hammer, Tucker, Horne, Marcinko.

4 of the 32 Lettermen

To earn a jacket, RHS athletes must letter in one of the four offered sports: football, basketball, baseball, or track. Mr. Donald McCrae and Mr. Charles Puckey are the group's advisers.

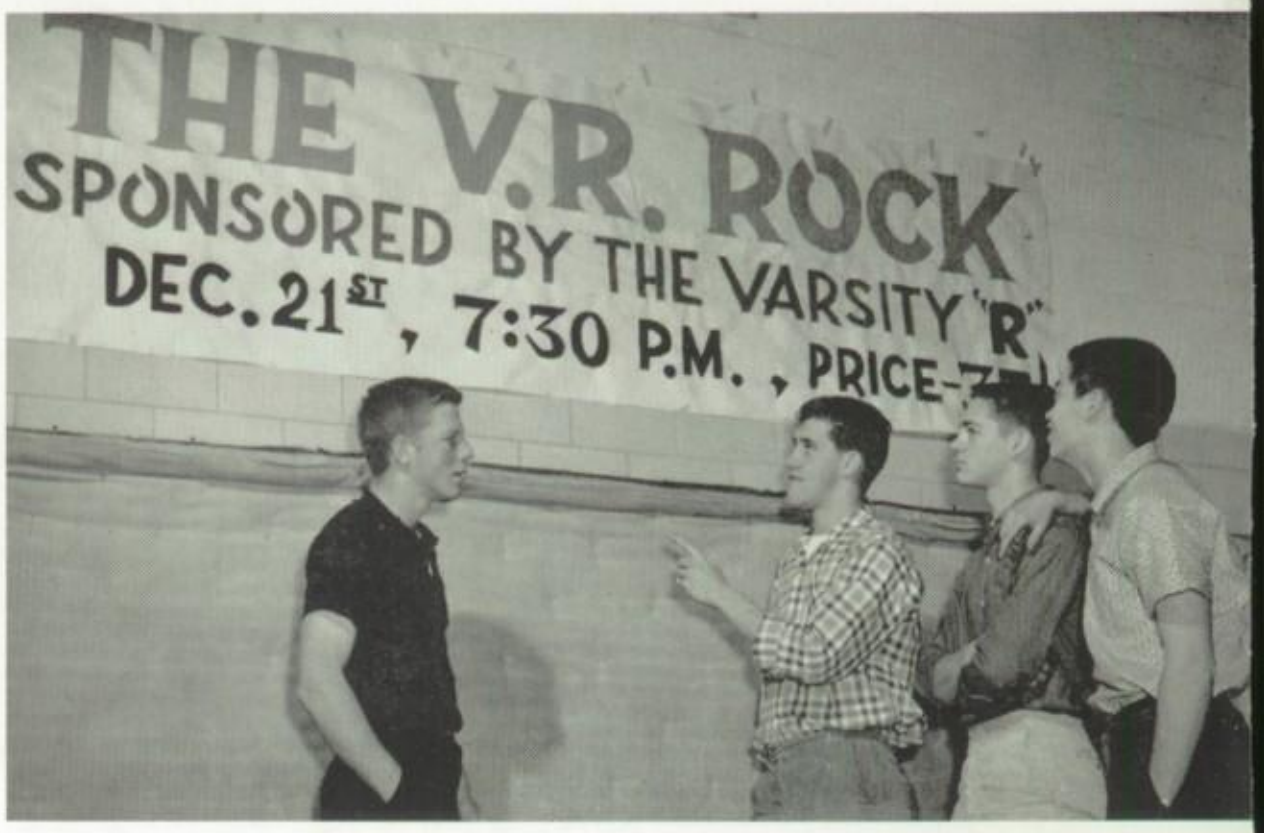
Varsity "R" men can brave any rough situation as Harry Herlinger, Pat Doyle, Jim Hoover, and Kerry Wilson prove at the left. They go out for a "bit of fresh air" in one of our heavy snowfalls this winter.

ROCKING THEIR WAY TO JACKETS

Officers Debate Turn-out

Anticipating the outcome of their dance, the Varsity "R" officers critically check details on the publicity poster. They are, from left to right: Wayne Berkey, treasurer; Boyd Neff, vice-president; Tom Friedman, president; and Harry Skiles, secretary.

Although the Varsity "R" is primarily an honorary organization, the club decided to follow the trend of holding a dance for the purpose of fund raising. Much time was spent by these boys in creating very ingenious decorations for the event. It was entitled "The V. R. Rock". Without a doubt, the participants welcomed and enjoyed the well-planned evening.



ROW 1—Hammer, Jardina, Herlinger, Watkins, Barkhimer, Doyle, Boyko, Michrina. **ROW 2**—Beener, Wilson, Lazer, Skiles, Friedman, Sholtis, Koshute, Betz, Decker. **ROW 3**—Lape, Berkey, Horne, Greenlee, Doubt, Bury, Allen, Rodgers. **ROW 4**—Slatcoff, Weyand, Hoover, Reed, Fabish, Neff, Marcinko.

Double Adviserships in Y-Teens

Miss Russell and Miss Eckel re-organized the Y-Teens at Richland and served as the club's co-advisers. The group carried out Christmas and Easter projects with fair success. A hike was planned for May, and a dinner was held in the latter part of April.

Officers at left are: Barb Komisar, treasurer; Karen Machtley, secretary; Barb Rummell, vice-president; Judy Wright, president; Marianne Dolan, program committee chairman; JoAnn Fluke, Inter-Club Council representative; and Virginia Lambert, ICC alternate.

ROW 1—Miss Russell, Walker, Swaltek, Vore, Wright, Kuhn, Caldwell, Churchey, Ellenberger, Miss Eckel. **ROW 2**—Fair, Weaver, Hershberger, Nitch, Gallagher, Frazier, Singer, Hillman, Gurka, Horner. **ROW 3**—Blough, Shaffer, Rice, Sipko, Fluke, Machtley, Bell, Dolan, Beam. **ROW 4**—Ickes, Lane, Rummel, Kelly, Kopka, Hinton, Gregorchick, L. Gennett, Komisar, Stafford. **ROW 5**—Blowers, K. Caldwell, Lambert, Umbach, G. Blough, Ling, Hetrick, Sowerbrower, Weaver. **ROW 6**—Dill, Heidorn, Pahel, Gennett, B. Miller, Adams, Podlucky, Mrsnik, L. Miller, Streiline.

Bookworms Not Needed

Librarians Serve All

The student librarians, under the sponsorship of Miss Lois Kindelberger, have become almost indispensable in providing quick library service. These girls cheerfully aid in selecting reading material, research information, and current events items.

A dance, the "Shamrock Shuffle", was held by the group in recognition of St. Patrick's Day and the "Wearin' o' the green".

Elected as officers for the librarians were: Nan Reeder, treasurer; Gerry Blough, vice-president; Judy Ream, secretary; and Karen Machtley, president.

ROW 1—Miss Kindelberger (adviser), States, Kettler, Caldwell, C. Irons, Horner, Nitch, Mellott, Ellenberger, Grove. **ROW 2**—Ream, Wilson, N. Daugherty, Hawk, Thatcher, Weber, Weaver, Leventry, Slagle. **ROW 3**—Chudik, Varner, Seese, Stoner, Ferg, Bell, Machtley, D. Irons, Foran, Samuel. **ROW 4**—Ickes, Artice, Condron, Kiser, Knapp, DeBarto, Ashbrook, Dysert, Birtle. **ROW 5**—Lambert, Konoski, F. Daugherty, Blough, Karl, Mihalko, Hlavey, Prazich, Hetrick, Loushe. **ROW 6**—Hardy, Barnes, Reeder, Aird, Reed, Zedlar, Yarnick, Roseman, Boysza.

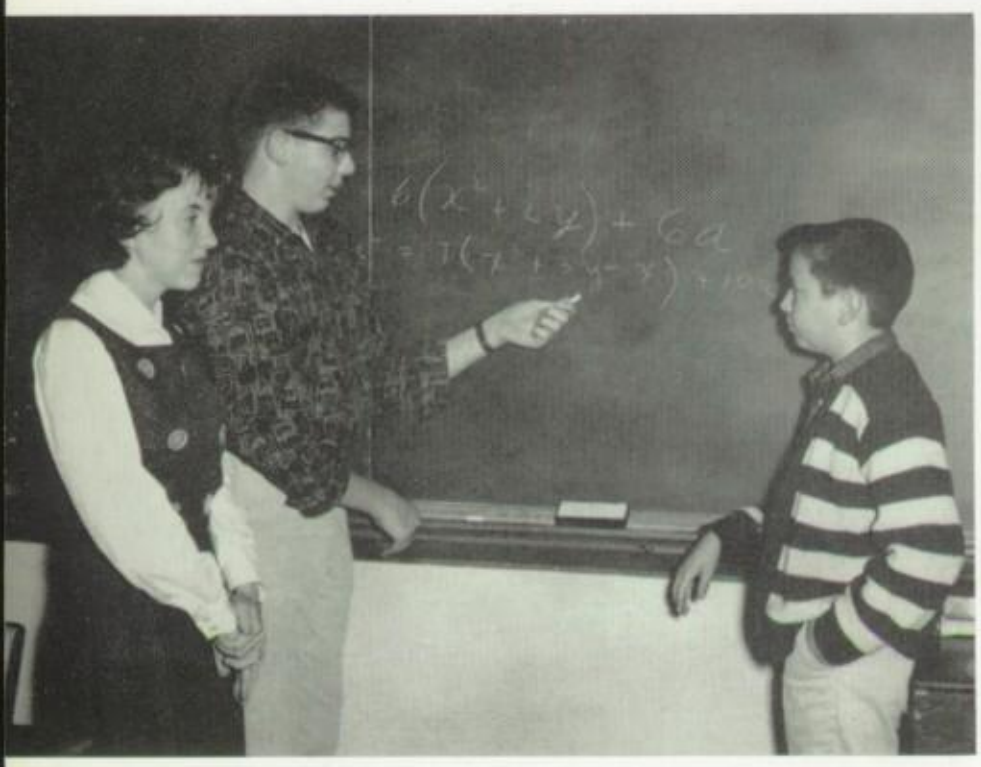
Math Clubs Active In First Year

Students interested in broadening their knowledge of various types of mathematics were given a chance to do so this year. With Mr. Sigmund as the clubs' adviser, both a Junior and Senior High Math Club were organized. Many aspects of the subject were studied and the knowledge gained proved valuable and interesting.

A math test was given to the group, the Conemaugh Twp. Math Club was entertained, and the "Triangle Twist" was held as the main combined functions of the two clubs.

SENIOR HIGH MATH CLUB MEMBERS. ROW 1—Mr. Sigmund, G. Blough, K. Diable, V. Roman, E. Reed. **ROW 2**—P. Lee, N. Reeder, M. Lesosky, L. Small. **ROW 3**—C. Saylor, S. Krasovic, D. Umbach, F. Heming. **ROW 4**—V. Lambert, J. Prazich, G. Redick, L. Hetrick.

HEY, TWIST THAT TRIANGLE AROUND



Chosen by their fellow mathematicians, the officers of the Junior High Math Club, along with Mr. Sigmund, proved worthy of their offices by making the club interesting and educational. Officers were, left to right: Susan Ferg, vice-president; Robert Huebner, president; Grant Berkebile, treasurer; and Neil McLaughlin, secretary, who was absent when the picture was taken.

Elected as officers of the Senior High Math Club were, left to right: Ellen Reed, secretary; Frank Heming, president; Ken Diable, treasurer; and Clark Saylor, vice-president. It was through their initiative that both clubs were able to visit the Buhl Planetarium on April 18.

JUNIOR HIGH MATH CLUB MEMBERS. ROW 1—Mr. Sigmund, W. Phillips, R. Huebner, L. Sidola, J. Barto. **ROW 2**—S. Yarnick, L. Schmidt, S. Wukina, S. Ferg. **ROW 3**—D. Lambert, N. Daugherty, E. Dixon, S. Kettler. **ROW 4**—T. Hettle, D. Long, G. Berkebile, A. Barsophy, L. Benzon.

Thespians Organize

ROW 1—A. Swaltek, T. Kleban, R. Burns, S. Chaplain, J. Diamond, A. M. Barndt, G. Block. **ROW 2**—L. Boyer, M. Lindsey, J. Foran, M. Blough, C. Allison, M. Dolan, G. Rice, S. Kuhn. **ROW 3**—R. Davies, F. Daugherty, N. Eash, R. Shaffer, C. Sipko, B. Hostetler, N. Michrina. **ROW 4**—L. Pahel, B. Hardy, N. Barnes, S. Hostetler, D. Babal, H. Schaeffer, E. Boyza, G. Rish. **ROW 5**—J. Sukenik, D. Betz, L. Horne, T. Doubt, P. Lesosky, W. Statler, B. Bender.

Mr. Harry Coulson Directs Dramatics

Club presents two programs

Due to large interest shown by students, the Dramatics Club was formed once again at Richland. A Christmas play, "Scrooge", was presented to the student body as their first performance. Mr. Coulson and the cast were aided by Miss Hoffman, Mrs. Larimer, and Mrs. Stoy, faculty members, and Miss Rodgers, a student teacher, in this program. The club assisted the Seniors in the production of their class play, "Skinned Alive". This play, a comedy, was held on April fifth and was open for all to attend. Plans were also made to sponsor a Junior Class play.

As club adviser, Mr. Harry Coulson found it necessary to hold evening practices for the casts. A make-up crew was created, and prompters were appointed. Scripts had to be learned and nervousness had to be eliminated. Mr. Coulson took care of these and other details associated with play-acting.

MR. COULSON

MAYBE THERE'LL BE A SCOUT IN THE AUDIENCE

THE SHOW MUST GO ON

The Senior Class play initiated many details that had to be carried out for a smoothly run program. Serving in this capacity were: Tom Doubt, secretary; Larry Horne, president; and Susie Kuhn, vice-president. Various committees were set up by the officers, and ushers were provided for the convenience of the audience.

Band Director, Richard L. Cuppett

Trombones, French Horns, and English Horns

ROW 1—C. Shumaker, R. Lewis, S. Hostetler, A. Barsophy, M. Lehman, D. Murphy, B. Ketterer, P. Gilbert. **ROW 2**—T. Sherwood, S. Hancock, L. Langerholc, S. Berkey.

A Popular Organization

Marching Rams of Richland

Richard L. Cuppett is behind the scenes in planning band activities as well as out front directing the music-makers.

Activities of the Marching Rams this year included participation at nine football games, two parades, and one field trip. The first of the parades was the Halloween Parade held annually in Johnstown, and for the first time the band made an appearance in the Johnstown Christmas Parade. The band also marched in the annual homecoming parade at Indiana State College.

Clarinets and Saxophones

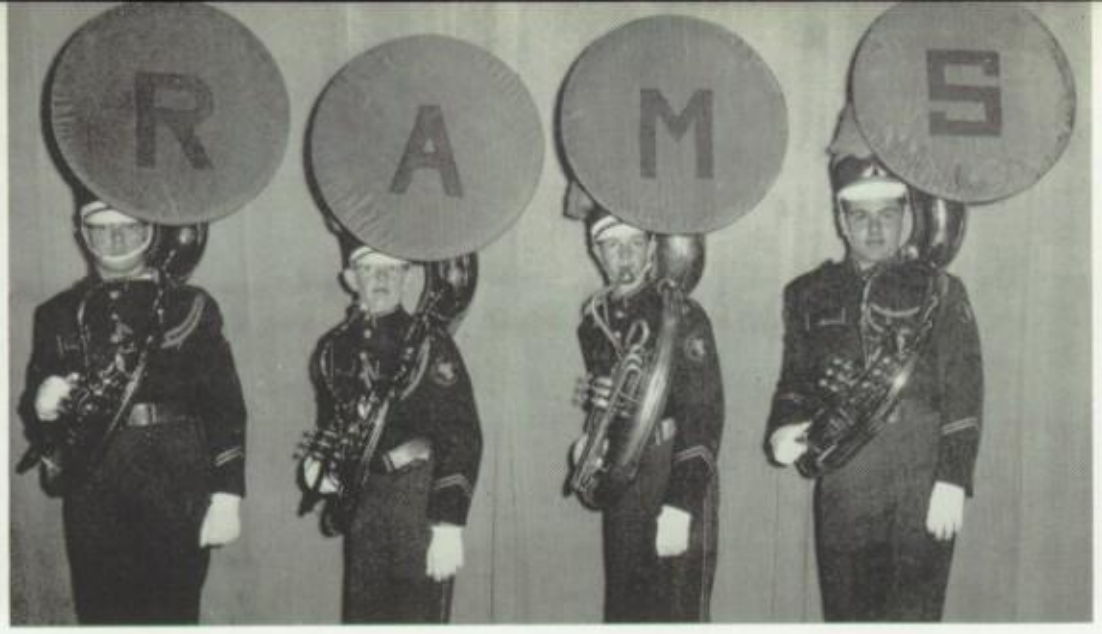
ROW 1—S. Klesyk, J. Weaver, B. Riley, L. Majer, T. Ankney. **ROW 2**—D. Rish, D. Murphy, M. Wonders, E. Sichak, P. Caldwell. **ROW 3**—G. Rish, B. Hostetler, J. Barto, G. Hudson, S. Smay.

Percussion

ROW 1—B. Davies, J. Diamond. **ROW 2**—N. McLaughlin, G. Redick, P. Wilson, T. Hettle. **ROW 3**—B. Yarnick, J. Ream, D. Erzen, L. Small.

Clarinets

ROW 1—L. Sharpe, K. Boltz, B. Cover, J. Kelley. **ROW 2**—K. Kaiser, S. Hershberger, S. Streilein, B. Kaufman. **ROW 3**—P. Kush, J. Dysert, S. Pritts, L. Miller, K. Ketterer.



Bass Horns

B. Bender, D. Lambert, K. Ickes, E. Chaplain.

After several weeks of rigid summer rehearsals and hours of drilling during the 1961 football season, the band presented outstanding half-time shows at Richland's football games. Besides performing with music that was pleasing to the ear, the band earned their name "The Marching Rams" from the complicated precision drills that were a vital part of each appearance.

DRUM MAJOR IMPORTANT ROLE

The sound of a commanding voice or a shrill whistle immediately called every band member to attention. The man behind the whistle this year was Joseph Cannin. As drum major of the band, Joe did a commendable job in seeing that the band was in the right place at the right time.

Drum Major, Joseph Cannin

Trumpets and Cornets

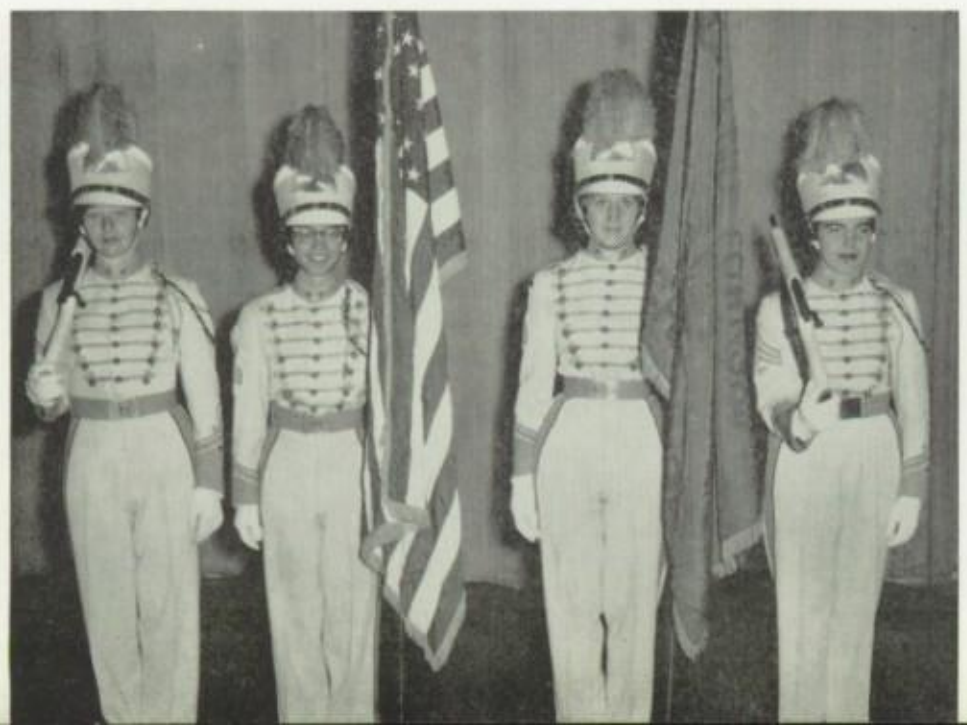
ROW 1—J. Horner, L. Benson, F. McCleester, R. Kring. **ROW 2**—A. Marshall, F. Hemming, P. Pfile, S. Bender. **ROW 3**—R. Hunt, J. Smith, E. Rowland, B. Wingard, K. Diable.

Baritone Horns, Flutes, and Piccolo

ROW 1—P. Lythgoe, L. Hetrick, S. Schlee. **ROW 2**—L. Schmidt, G. Blough, N. Reeder, P. Pebley. **ROW 3**—Mr. Allison, L. Langerholc, S. Cannone, B. Zedlar.

Color Guard

F. Daugherty, K. Machtley, I. Roseman, L. Boyer.



Band Seniors. ROW 1—C. Shumaker, N. Barnes, S. Hostetler, B. Hostetler, G. Rish, B. Lane. **ROW 2**—J. Kelley, B. Davies, S. Cannone, J. Cannin, B. Bender, J. Diamond. **ROW 3**—L. Boyer, J. Weller, I. Roseman, P. Lesosky, F. Daugherty, M. Blough.

Seniors and Quartermasters Saluted

One of the largest groups of seniors in the history of the band will graduate this year. Through the years they have served our band well, and although their musical talent will be missed, many underclassmen are eager to fill the vacated positions.

Band quartermasters are timed each time uniforms are turned in after games. This year they set a new low record by collecting about eighty-five uniforms in 5 minutes and 24 seconds. These efficient boys also check the condition of band attire at periodic intervals.

Quartermasters, left to right. E. Chaplain, B. Ketterer, F. Heming, B. Yarnick.

Our Show Girls

Richland's Ramettes

The 1961-62 high-stepping squad of majorettes consists of nine lively girls with Candy Killen as captain.

After practicing throughout the summer, the Ramettes participated in pre-game and half-time shows during the football season. They accompanied Richland's "Marching Rams" and proved to be a sparkling asset to the performances. The girls also twirled at R.H.S. pep rallies, in several parades, at Recreation Park, at Indiana State College, and at other events.

The graduating members of this eye-catching group will long remember the wonderful memories provided by being a majorette. Those who will remain are looking forward to the fun and excitement of next year's marching days.

Majorettes. ROW 1—N. Barnes, E. Rodkey, P. Lesosky. **ROW 2**—A. Langerholc, J. Weller, C. Killen, J. Wright, M. Blough, P. Kovach.

Many Decisions Made by Officers

Under the adept supervision of Richard Cuppett, band officers are responsible for making decisions concerning rules and regulations of the band. **The officers are:** P. Gilbert, secretary; C. Shumaker, president; G. Redick, librarian; J. Cannin, student director: S. Hershberger, librarian; D. Wilson, band manager; N. Barnes, vice-president; and J. Kelly, treasurer.

Consists of 125 Members

Senior High Chorus

Chorus Officers. C. George, librarian; J. Harvey, librarian; S. Hostetler, treasurer; J. Cannin, vice-president; B. Hostetler, secretary; and B. Bender, president.

The Senior High Chorus, under the direction of Mr. Richard Cuppett, had a splendid head start this year. Most of the musical numbers were started before the Christmas holidays.

The group has taken great pride in its music for this year. It has worked hard in order to present a very fine concert. A great amount of time on the part of Mr. Cuppett, and the group was forwarded to the success of "Rhythmic Rainbows." Due to the fact that practice was held only twice a week on school time, evening practices were almost a must.

First Sopranos

ROW 1—C. Nitch, G. Stuart, S. Chaplain, C. Bafile, N. Erb, N. Horner. **ROW 2**—C. George, J. Kostro, C. Weyant, K. Machtley, J. Fluke, B. Campbell. **ROW 3**—B. Davies, C. Killen, S. Hershberger, K. Klimeck, A. Langerholc, J. Kuhlman, C. Witzer. **ROW 4**—J. Prazich, G. Redick, S. Pritts, N. Barnes, K. Green, J. Blough.

Second Sopranos

ROW 1—R. Burns, P. Hornick, P. Lythgoe, D. Plummer, B. Pfile, N. Yost, J. Diamond, C. Irons. **ROW 2**—B. Roberts, J. Harvey, S. Gleich, L. Clemenceau, L. Ickes, F. Daugherty, C. Sipko, A. Horvath. **ROW 3**—V. Lambert, L. Hetrick, L. Friedman, P. Kush, L. Jeschonek, M. Lesosky, S. Stoner. **ROW 4**—N. Reeder, L. Ling, M. Bittner, P. Lesosky, L. Emeigh, B. Zedlar, C. Konoski, C. Kuzmiak.

Altos

ROW 1—V. Albert, P. Gilbert, L. Seese, L. DeBiase, S. Kuhn, J. Kelley. **ROW 2**—A. Curry, B. Hostetler, J. Hoffman, K. Kaiser, S. Krasovic, G. Hutzler. **ROW 3**—J. Knapp, J. Mihalko, K. Klimeck, F. Terchanyn, L. Pahel, G. Blough, S. Streilein. **ROW 4**—G. Rish, H. Schaeffer, S. Hostetler, E. Reed, K. Stuart, S. Hancock.

Tenors

ROW 1—F. McCleester, M. Claycomb, C. Horner, J. Kramer, T. Sherwood. **ROW 2**—F. Hemming, B. Hoffecker, G. Naugle, D. Wilson, J. Boyko, B. Kaufman. **ROW 3**—L. McCloud, K. Allison, D. Boyer, R. Lewis, L. Langerholc.

Basses

ROW 1—C. Shumaker, L. Grubb, D. Koshute, B. Bender, B. Decker, M. Allison. **ROW 2**—J. Smith, L. Small, D. Klimeck, S. Cannone, E. Chaplain. **ROW 3**—J. Cannin, R. Knipple, E. Rowland, K. Diable.

JUNIOR HIGH CHORUS MEMBERS (First Semester) **ROW 1**—Mrs. Berkebile, J. Searle, B. Varchal, K. Brandle, C. Coco, P. States, S. Dona, A. Adams, C. Molton, R. Tacznosky. **ROW 2**—S. Kettler, J. Ream, J. Hayes, M. Wolf, L. McIntyre, J. Killian, M. Hozik, B. Krause, R. Prazich, A. Barsophy. **ROW 3**—K. Kellar, M. Beam, B. Miller, R. Noon, L. Ashbrook, R. McCombie, J. Naugle, A. Soika, D. Brandle. **ROW 4**—K. Plummer, B. Chaplain, P. Schobel, J. Mock, L. Shaffer, J. Shaffer, J. DeBarto, K. Favatella, B. Weber, G. Wilson. **ROW 5**—R. Karnosky, N. Blough, S. Ferg, L. Howard, C. Condron, R. Allen, M. Warshel, J. Fishter, F. Katawczik. **ROW 6**—L. Dereani, J. Frye, S. Yarnick, W. Mock, N. Dill, B. Sheftic, L. Wolf, A. Barker, G. Balough, M. Heidorn. **Absent were**—D. Silk, R. Osborn, R. Mellott, K. Caldwell, D. Lambert.

Sing Along

Jr. High Chorus

Due to the fact that the eighth and ninth graders transferred to the junior high building at the end of the semester, there were two groups of chorus members. Those pictured here were members during the first semester. Due to a lack of time and space, the others could not be named or pictured.

The object of the group, under Mrs. Berkebile's direction, was to prepare junior high students for membership in the Senior High Chorus.

FOOTBALL COURT—Norma Yost and Joe Jardina, Judy Harvey and Jim Hoover, Marilyn Blough and Boyd Neff, Bonnie Roberts and Tom Friedman, Carol Swick and Tom Greenlee, Carol Pitera and John Sholtis, Gail Stuart and Frank Fabish.

Sports-minded Monarchs

Queen Bonnie and King Tom reigned at the "Gridiron Gallop" on November 10, after the close of the gridiron season. The dance, saluting the sport of football, was held by the Student Council. As a token of their contributions to the season, the royal throne holders were presented with ID bracelets. The honor of crowning the King and Queen of Football was given to Linda Bell and Barry Bender, Student Council members.

"I STILL MISS THE GAMES!"

As is traditional, the court enjoyed a musical selection in their honor. The crowd looked on with admiration while the royal couples glided over the dance floor. All will long remember the small but impressive event, for it was a tribute to those supporting our team.

Dancing resumed after the ceremony, but a few timid souls could still be detected on the sidelines. Many will agree that the shot at the left looks very much like a lady's choice. What do you think, huh?

At Coronation Ball

Royalty Reigns

The tension mounted as the couples of the court made their way through the decorated arch to stand before the throne. Finally James Reed and Judy Wright, who had been chosen King and Queen of the Senior Class, walked under the arch to occupy their throne and reign over the Coronation Ball.

King James and Queen Judy, having been greatly honored, decreed a night of festivity.

MONARCHS

Queen Judy and King James

NANCY BARNES
and
FRED WOLF

LINDA SHAFFER
and
CHARLES GONTKOVIC

NANCY EASH
and
JOHN SHOLTIS

Monarchs Begin Rule By Distributing Food To Subjects

To The Soft Strains Of Music

BONNIE ROBERTS
and
BEN MILAZZO

CAROL SWICK
and
THOMAS FRIEDMAN

JUDY HARVEY
and
HARRY SKILES

. . . As the Evening Draws to a Close

The King and Queen and their court found the perfect evening coming to an end. The memories provided by the night will last a lifetime for our royalty.

Everyone agreed that the Coronation Ball was one of the big successful affairs of the year. The date of January 10 with the records being played by Jack Walco, will long be recalled.

The Court
Joins
King and Queen
In Dance

Juniors Host Seniors at Prom

Fun, Frolic, and Food

After arriving, everyone began the memorable evening by being served a full course meal at the banquet. Although few experienced a hearty appetite because of the anticipation of the wonderful night ahead, etiquette and only the best of manners were now put to use.

AH, A FREE MEAL

OH, WHICH FORK IS WHICH?

Enjoying the Banquet and prom equally as well were the R.H.S. teachers who attended. This was certainly a special occasion for them too.

Accepting the honor of toastmaster at the banquet was Junior classman Barry Bender. Others featured at the affair were Mr. Paul Wissler who gave the invocation; James Reed who epressed welcome to the Seniors; and Alex Gibbs who responded with thanks to the hosts. Remarks were given by Mr. Fred Herlinger and Mr. Norman Smith.

Entertainment was included in the program. Jan Shendow played a musical selection on the piano. Pictured in the photo below is the Boys' Quartet. Barry Bender, Keith Allison, Jan Shendow, and Lynn Sheldon, accompanied by Betty Hostetler, sang several selections as the banquet came to a close.

WHAT DO YOU MEAN WE DON'T EAT?

Twilight Time Progresses

When the banquet was concluded, the tables were cleared away and the dining room was converted into a ballroom. This short intermission gave the girls a few minutes to congregate in the powder room to admire the colorful gowns and to discuss the portion of the evening already passed.

"Twilight Time" was Friday evening May 26, 1961 at the Sunnehanna Country Club in Westmont. It was the annual Junior-Senior Banquet and Prom; undoubtedly the most spectacular affair of the year—perhaps of a life-time. The graduating class of 1961 were the guests of the juniors who, as hosts, financed and sponsored the gala event.

Enchantment loomed over all as couples danced to the strands of soft flowing music from Dave Dysert's band.

At midnight "Twilight Time" was over and dawn was on its way. All too soon the long-awaited evening was over; now just a cherished memory in the hearts of all who attended.

"AS THE NIGHT GOES ON . . ."

WHERE'S THE GANG GOING NOW?

"Sock Hop" Scene of Royalty

From left to right—Barbara Parsons and Max Pavlovich, Linda Grush and Paul Morbit, Jennie Paul and Alexander Gibbs.

The Court

King Rich and Queen Gail

From left to right—Carol Rodkey and Roy Gindlesperger, Sandra Luczko and Ronald Vore, Joyce Bokonyi and Larry Rodgers.

The dimming of the lights brought a quiet air over the crowded gym. All eyes turned toward the doorway, and everyone present anxiously waited to see who had been chosen King and Queen of Sports. The honor was bestowed upon Richard Thatcher and Gail Berkebile. Pictured with them are Sally Davis and Donald Koshute crowning the new title holders.

The following dance was played in honor of the King and Queen and their attendants. Congratulatory exchanges were then made, and the ceremony was ended.

"I HOPE THE FLOOR'S CLEAN"

There was no room for sore feet in the crowd as you can see by the gayly decorated stockings worn throughout the evening.

The informality of the occasion created a feeling of liveliness and good times. Everyone danced—from the girl with the tiniest feet to the boy with the longest.

Mood Set By "Moonlite Garden"

REFRESHMENTS, HERE WE COME

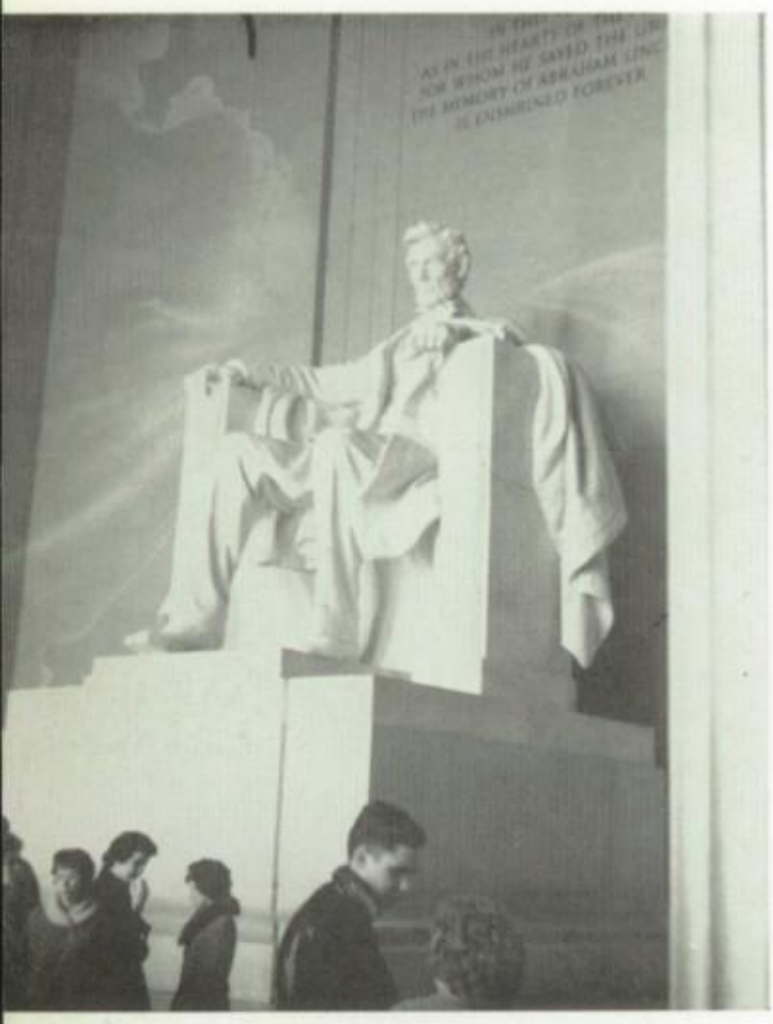
Through the combined preparations of the Senior and Junior High Pep Clubs and the Ramsmen, the annual Pep Club dance was presented with "Moonlite Garden" as its theme. The members, their dates or escorts, and their guests were entertained by the popular orchestra of Jerry Grey. The semi-formal affair was held at the Geistown Armory on February the tenth.

Below, the presidents of the two Pep Clubs, on behalf of the members, present gifts to their respective advisers. **Pictured are:** Pauline Lesosky, Mrs. Dhority, Miss Glessner, Joan Pataky.

THE LAST DANCE ALREADY?

Seniors Live It Up

WASHINGTON



A BRIEF VISIT TO THE
LINCOLN MEMORIAL

THE CHANGING OF THE GUARDS

TOUR

OUR GUIDES AND CHAPERONES

A LONG CLIMB TO OUR
NATION'S CAPITAL

BEST DRESSED

LYNDA McMILLAN

BILL WATKINS

LINDA SHAFFER

JOHN SHOLTIS

MOST ATHLETIC

BONNIE ROBERTS

CHARLES GONTKOVIC

MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED

FRIENDLIEST

SUSIE KUHN

CAROL SWICK

GEORGE MARCINKO

TOM FRIEDMAN

CUTEST

NANCY EASH

BOYD NEFF

BEST PHYSIQUE

A Day In Our Lives

WE GO TO SCHOOL . . .

SEE OUR FRIENDS . . .

TO SOCIALIZE . . .

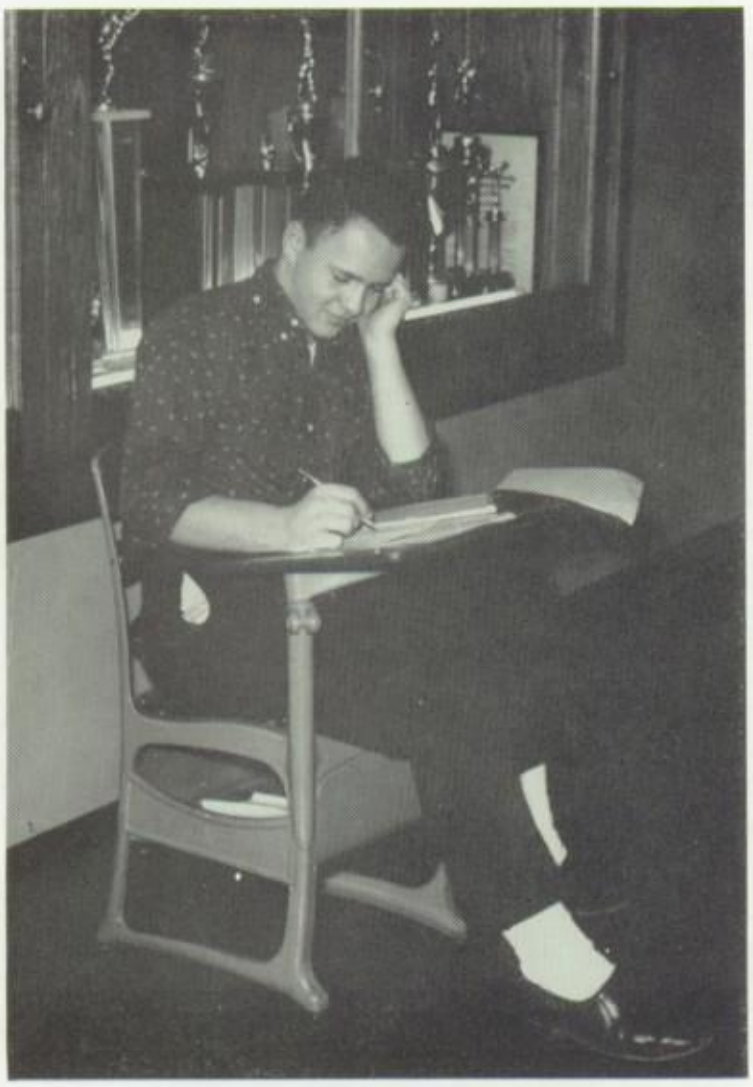
TO EXERCISE OUR MINDS AND OUR BODIES . . .

TO HAVE FUN . . .

. . . AND GO HOME

Hall Monitors in Second Year

MONITORS. **ROW 1**—N. Yost, G. Stuart, S. Sell, A. Shirt, N. Horner, L. Shaffer, T. Yost. **ROW 2**—R. Reesey, J. Burns, L. Blough, S. Bell, F. Terchanyn, D. Plummer, D. Frazier, C. Bafile. **ROW 3**—B. Davies, K. Morgan, K. Green, H. Marsh, R. Shaffer, R. Smith, B. Richardson, J. Hoffman, L. Bell. **ROW 4**—D. Grow, G. Shaffer, J. Barkhimer, L. Erzen, P. Lesosky, F. Robel, L. Ling, G. Rish. **ROW 5**—T. Greenlee, T. Doubt, N. Zedlar, J. Weyand, D. Klimeck, B. Wolf, D. Betz.



FUNNY, ACCORDING TO THE BOOK THERE IS NO ONE IN THE HALLS SEVENTH PERIOD

Monitors Are Dependable

The Hall Monitors, a group organized by the Student Council last year, provide a helpful service each day. Those chosen to serve as monitors are selected for their dependability. It is their duty to record the names of those students who are in the halls during a class period and to direct new students or visitors to various rooms. The group is doing a fine job and is helping greatly toward the improvement of Richland.

Fred Robel, a Junior, is shown here in one of the most centrally located monitor stations beside the trophy case. Due to the lack of ideal study facilities in the auditorium, monitor duty is often sought by those who wish to have a desk in a quiet, well lighted area to do their homework.

Subscription Season in Full Swing

A DOLLAR DOWN, A DOLLAR A WEEK

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For Our Memories

Many events occurred within the year which we would like to record on film. Here are a few.

John Ambrose and Jim Bury appeared on Johnstown College Scholastic Quiz. Jim tied for third and John was his alternate.

Our cheerleaders were edged out of placing in the annual cheering contest, in spite of their great efforts and staunch backing.

As we all remember, our basketball team won high honors this year.

The officers of the Sophomore Class, elected late in the year, are shown below. The others pictured appeared on Schoolmaster's Calendar and had a discussion on Communism.

QUESTIONS, QUESTIONS, WHO'S GOT THE QUESTIONS?

HIGHER, FRED, HIGHER!

WE SALUTE YOU FOR YOUR WONDERFUL EFFORTS

Left to right—N. Yost, S. Krasovic, J. Hoffman, C. Swick, J. Harvey, B. Roberts, C. Pitera, Miss Glessner.

SOPHOMORE CLASS OFFICERS. Left to right—Kathy Klimeck, treasurer; Ellen Reed, secretary; Dan Erzen, vice-president; Ricky Knipple, president; and Mr. Maquilken, adviser.

REPRESENTATIVES TO SCHOOLMASTER'S CALENDAR. Standing—G. Read, R. Long, L. Small, D. Ivancic, C. Saylor, Mr. Gulick, adviser. **Sitting**—J. Prazich, L. Ickes, K. Machtley, L. Ling.

OUR THANKS

Presenting a yearbook is the cooperative efforts of many. It cannot be done by one alone, nor can it even be done by an enthusiastic staff. Enthusiasm wavers; support is steadfast. The latter was bestowed especially by three organizations: the Senior Class, the Junior Class, and the Geistown-Richland Parent-Teacher Association. To them we express our sincere gratitude.

Due to the need of acquiring the many detailed phases of publishing, time was rapidly consumed in the Portal's composition, and deadline extensions were necessary. We thank the Zimmerman Engraving Co. and the Kurtz Bros. Printing Co. for their leniency and understanding of this situation.

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If it were feasible, we would like to shake the hand of each individual who patronized this edition. Since we cannot do this, we now heartfully thank all those who contributed to the success of the 1962 Portal Patron Drive.

Finally, we must also show our appreciation to those several persons not connected with the staff who gave portions of their time to render help to the editors. Their kindness cannot pass uncommended.

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